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RE-ELECTED

M. LEBRUN, the retiring President

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election are as follows: M. Lebrun

508, M. Bedouge 151, M. Cachin 74,

M. Herriot 53. Senator Godart 50, M.

M. Lebrun shares with President

"United Press" states that election

Most parties were united behind M.

of M. Lebrun is viewed as a gesture

of national unity against the threaten-

ing conditions in Europe.

of the French-Republic, was re-clected to the office on the first count

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NEW SHIPMENT OF R. MORLEY'S **GLOVES**

WHITEAWAY'S

四拜禮

EARL STANHOPE'S ESTATEMENT ABOARD THE AIRCRAFT - CARRIER ROYAL OAK THAT IT HAD BECOME NECES-SARY "TO GIVE ORDERS TO MAN THE ANTI-AIRCRAFT GUNS OF THE FLEET" HAD CREATED A FIRST - CLASS POLITI-CAL SENSATION.

The First Sea Lord's speech was suppressed in London newspapers the request of the Prime Minister.

It was also suppressed by British news agencies, and was not received in Hongkong from "Reuter's" until 8 o'clock this morning, 24 hours after it had been received from other sources.

WITHDRAWN

The First Lord's statement was published in early papers yesterday but was withdrawn from subsequent

'Blitzangriff' ("Lightning Attack")

Won't Work **British Precautions** Completed

IN THE House of Commons to-day, Mr. Chamberlain declared that Britain is fully prepared to repel any lightning attack either by air or sea.

The Premier mildly rebuked Earl Stanhope for "speaking out of turn" but at the same time admitted that the Avernment considers this to be a "time of tension" and had accordingly instructed naval gunners to be prepared to man their guns.

This was taken as confirming reports that the Navy and Air Force have been on the alert for the past ten days, patrolling the North Sea and the English Channel.

had become obvious that any Yangter River commercially, said Mr. apply only to English news mons to-day, when replying to Compapers.

Ocean", which described the incident as having occurred durwas a "Mickey Mouse"!

"REUTER" VERSION

addressing an audience of about 1,000 aboard the Ark Rival, explained the absence of the Duke of Kent on H.E. the G.O.C., Major General A.



LORD STANHOPE

JAPANESE IMPORTS

British Colonies May Restrict

LONDON, Apr. 5. IN THE HOUSE of Commons to-day, Mr. Robert Morgan suggested, in view of the action editions of London news- of the Japanese Government in indicate, however, that Germany is restricting exports from North China to those financed through the Japanese-controlled banks, prohibition of entry into British The Nazis express the belief that Yesterday afternoon papers, or Crown Colony ports of all ex- there is no possibility of Italy withhowever, splashed it as the ports from North China unless drawing troops from Spain during leading story of the day after it accompanied by a Consular the international tension. American, or French banks.

Mr. R. A. Butler, in a written reply, said that the proposal referred to by Mr. Morgan was being examined in common with the general question of the protection of British interests in China. He could not say at the present what

decision would be reached. British Cotton Mills

Replying to Mr. J. J. Stourton, Mr. Butler said that Viscount Halifax was at present awaiting further information from His Majesty's Ambassador in China with regard to the present position of the Chuntah and other cotton mills occupied by the Japanese in Shanghai.

the arrangements which had been day and to-morrow,-Reuter. made for co-operation between the Shanghal Municipal Council and the Japanese authorities would result in Reuter.

Yangtso River

London, Apr. 5. The position remains unchanged respecting the re-opening of the attempts at suppression would R. .. Butler in the House of Com-

mander A. Marsden. The report was Let received was continuing to press for the agreed." in Hongkong from "Trans- restoration of normal trade condi- The American Ambassador also

China by the regulations imposed at agreement.—United Press, ing the screening of a "propa-ganda film" aboard H.M.S. Royal under which, since March 11 a high proportion of the North China export

The morning papers to-day restrated had been prohibited unless the morning papers to-day restrated exchange proceeds were sold mained silent regarding the situation against Federal Reserve banknotes at in Albanta trade in albanta to the situation in the sit Oak. The "propaganda film" proportion of the North China export the following view of the inci- as Viscount Halifax was aware, also the reports of an Albanian protec- The Chinese forces achieved this after noon to-day. in other northern ports, said Mr. torate. Butler replying to Mr. Robert Mor-

account of a gore throat, and imE. Grasett, accompanied by Brigadier
modiately continued:

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M. Guy Lachambre, the French Air
M. Guy Lachambre, the French Air
Minister returned from his visit to A. B. Thomson, left on H.M.S. Moth Minister returned from his visit to that he is a policeman employed by Unfortunately there are others according to programme this morning to the interproperties of the Tatao force.

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Who are not with us to-night because, on an official visit to the Acting and the present of the Tatao force.

Who are not with us to-night because, on an official visit to the Acting and the present of the Tatao force.

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IN CENTRAL EUROPE

INTERNATIONAL ALLIES SOUGHT

ROME, Apr. 5.

It is reported that Hitler agreed with the precautionary military measures Italy has already adopted.

such action advisable.

Meanwhile, Italian officials refuse to make any comment regarding the reported military movements.

Pressure On Spain

During his conference with, the British Ambassador on Thursday, Count Ciano, the Rallan Foreign Minister denied the arrival in Spain of fresh Italian volunteers.

High Nazi sources in Berlin bringing strong pressure to bear on Spain to join the anti-Comintern pact, as a counterthrust to Britain's "encirclement" programme.

Meanwhile a new burst of abuse certificate that they had against Britain has started on the been financed through British, grounds that she is attempting to encircle and strangle Germany. The Press has laid emphasis on Earl Stanhope's statement.

"It sounds like something from madhouse it is certainly the most serious and grave attack yet made at any peace policy. The sensational reports about Albania belong to the same chapter," the German papers say,-United Press.

Talks in Berlin

Berlin, Apr. 5. A communique announcing that stail talks are at present proceeding between the German and Italian army leaders, adds that General Keitel, chief of the supreme German command is conferring with Signor Pariani, Secretary of State in the Replying to Mr. Alan Graham, Italian Ministry of War, and the chief Mr. Butler said that it was hoped that of the Italian Staff at Innsbruck to-

Bulgarian Denial

SOFIA, Apr. 5.-Informed circles an improvement in conditions in the deny the reported movements o so-called bad lands in Snanguan. Bulgarian troops towards th Rumanian frontier.—United Press.

Anglo-Polish Pact

London, Apr. 5. defensive pact. Following the conference, a Polish Representative said that Mr. Chamberlain will read a statement in the House to-morrow evening of April 2, and inflicted

conferred with the Polish Foreign The effect on trade with North Minister and learned details of the mittedly cost both sides crushingly

Italian Silence

Returns

THURSDAY, APRIL 6.

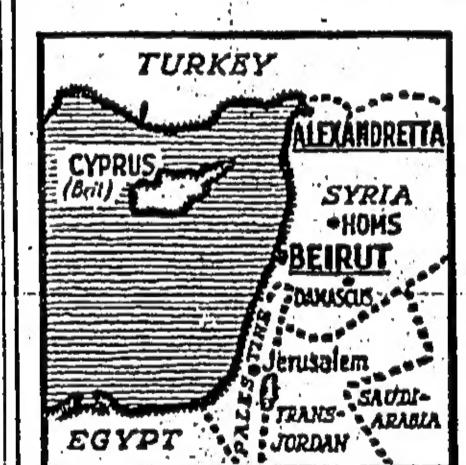
IT HAS been learned from a very reliable source that Herr Hitler had a long conversation Boulsson 16, M. Pletri 10. with Signor Mussolini by telephone this morning. Jyles and President Greavy the dis-

Secondly, they discussed questions involving concerted action in case political events in Europe made

Lebrun, only the Leftist Senator M. Justin Godart opposing him. FRENCH REINFORCEMENTS

> A "Reuter" message reported last night that France is despatching a cruiser to Alexandretta.

FOR ALEXANDRETTA



The garrison at the city on the Syrian-Turkish border at present consists of only 1,500 men, and it is intended to reinforce them.

It was reported by "United Press" yesterday that Turkey had demanded the return of Alexandretta as a quid pro que for permission for British and French warships to use the Dardanelles in the event of war.

This morning a "Reuter Special" mescage stated that Franco-Turkish negotiations concerning Alexandretta were proceeding normally.

WAR IN CHINA

Struggle Kaoan

SIUSHUI, Apr. 5. CONFUSED STREET FIGHTING between Chinese defenders and Japanese forces raged since yesterday at Kaoan, strategic town on the Nanchang-Wangtsai highway 40 miles southwest of Nanchang, as the invaders, reinforced with fresh troops, launched a fresh assault on the town from Wanshoukung.

To counteract the Japanese thrust, Chinese forces in the Britain and Poland have apparent- vicinity of Kaoan started a ly reached final agreement on the vigorous offensive on Siangwukwan, three miles east of Kaoan down the Chin River, on the He added that the Government "upon, which we have mutually considerable casualties on the

The struggle for Knoan has ad-

Chinese Recapture Monanchen

against Federal Reserve banknotes at in Albania.

1/2d, had been the cessation of Neither did they publish the official more returned to Chinese hands, ac- sulted in the capture of a luckless. This morning, "Reuter" gave foreign trade in Tientsin, and as far communique from Albania denying cording to military reports.

success after 'a series' of vigorous In their comment on the European assaults on the Japanese garrison The assassin fired point blank when situation they have adopted a force there in which more than 300 he saw Yang Tsai-san coming out the subject of a statement by the He added that the Government stronger anti-British tone.—United of the enemy troops were killed.

The remnant Japanese were finally again but the gun jammed.

Prime Minister in the House of was still awaiting the Japanese Commons to-day, Lord Stanhope, Government's reply.—Reuter.

French Air Chief

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Press.

French Air Chief

The sound of shooting attracted the treating in two directions one north. ward to Chienhsien and the other French police, who immediately westward through Chullutsun.

ASSASSINS THWARTED

Jammed Gun Saves Life Of Guerilla

SHANGHAI, Apr. 5. A JAMMED GUN saved the life of Yang Tsai-san, a former

rushed to the scene and captured

U.S. Neutrality Law

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WIDER POWERS FOR PRESIDENT IN EMERGENCIES

WASHINGTON, Apr. 5. OPENING THE Senate Foreign Relations Committee's hearings on the Neutrality Law amendment proposals, Mr. Henry Stimson urged the United States to use economic resources to

halt the dictatorships' aggressions. He asserted that the United States was facing a critical situation, in which the three Totalitarian states have torn up all codes of international conduct.

"Caucasian civilisation is threatened with the gravest danger in four centuries," he

He advocated greater presidential powers to maintain neutrality.

Aided Aggressors

"I agree with the President that there are methods 'short of war but tinction of being the only Prestronger and more effective than sident for two consecutive times .-

> "For the past two years we have been using our matchless resources to a very large extent to stimulate the activities and aggressions of our potential enemies," Mr. Stimson

He said that the present Neutrality end, according to the latest. Law "was evidently drawn up under despatches from the Manchouthe influence of traditions of the past kuo frontier outposts. rather than in the face of conditions as they exist at present."

pean axis had moved too rapidly and Manchoukuo territory. that the world had become too small and inter-connected.—United Press.

The Next Victim

European war broke out, the present to have suffered heavy casualties .. Neutrality Law might facilitate a The Japanese frontier patrols result that would make the United finally succeeded in repelling the States the "next victim for attack," Soviet invaders, frontier dispatches says Reuter.

Mr. Stimson's Testimony

Washington, Apr. 5. In the course of his testimony, Mr. | include 80- cavalry troopers and 80 Stimson, apparently referring to artillerymen with three heavy Germany, Italy, and Japan declared: machine-guns and _three artillery ... "Three-out of the seven-most pleces.-Domet.---powerful nations in the world have rejected the doctrine of mutual respect that has been built up between nations. Threats of aggression and treaty violations have gone hand in hand as interlocking elements of their system.

"In a succession of attacks, all in violation of former treaties and international law, upon Manchuria, North China, South China, Ethiopia, Spain, Austria, Czecho-Slovakia, and Lithuania, it has been made clear the revolutionary nature with which we are now confronted."

Academic

torial proceedings as academic; be-BEFORE TO MORROW NIGHT. ing so rapidly that whatever action Congress now takes may be rendered PRESS. obselete through the effect of further Totalitarian action upon American public opinion.

the Pittman resolution enacted, but Albanian ports and airports.--United it does not regard that measure with Press. any legree of finality. It visualises situations in Europe in which even the Pitiman resolution might be too restrictive for national interest .-

Clipper Arrives From Hongkong

San Francisco, Apr. 5. from Hongkong to-day an hour Although no confirmation of the shead of schedule.

Abourd were 14 passengers, in- Amsterdam Stock Exchange reacted cluding Doris Duke and Jimmy cont. recovery on initial losses.

Cromwell, the tobacco heiress and her husband, who visited Hongkong a few Trans-Ocean.

Mexican Oil Expropriation

Mexico City, Apr. 5. Seventeen British and American petroleum : companies : have : renewed !; legal proceedings against expropria-He is reported to have confessed tion of their properties.

BORDER TENSION

Soviet And Japanese Troops Face To Face

HSINKING, Apr. 6. JAPANESE and Soviet troops were still facing each other along the western frontier across the Argun River following a series of clashes over the weekend, according to the latest

The Manchoukuo Government is preparing to lodge a strong protest He advocated the abandonment of with the Soviet authorities against isolation and asserted that the Euro- the Intest Soviet "incursions" into

. It is revealed that three Japanese soldiers were killed in the severe clash near Lupien in Sanho District along the Argun River on Monday Mr. Stimson said that if a general last. The Soviet side was believed

> With the arrival of reinforcements, he Soviet forces confronting the Japanese in the dispute area now

LATEST

ITALIANS LEAVING

Although Mr. Stimson's evidence is TIRANA. APR. 6-IT IS AUregarded as very helpful to the Ad- THORITATIVELY LEARNED. ministration, circles close to the THAT ALL ITALIANS ARE BEING Government view the present Sena- EVACUATED FROM ALBANIA cause European conditions are chang- THE ONLY EXCEPTION IS THE DIPLOMATIC STAFF. — UNITED

Reliable quarters in Belgrade have received reports from Albania saying that King Zog favours resistance to the Italian demands that Fascist The Administration hopes to see troops be permitted to occupy several

DANZIG FOR REICH?

Amsterdam, Apr. 5. It was reported here this afternoon. that Colonel Beck, the Polish Foreign Minister, in the course of his conversations in London, agreed to the cession of Danzig to the Reich, and also to the construction of a German The Honolulu Clipper landed here motor road scross the Polish Corridor. reports could be obtained, the

> See Back Page For Farther Late News

FROM now onwards, at any hour of the day or night, an ambulance will bring to any London mother's door, within a few minutes, a medical unit consisting of a doctor, midwife and equipment.

This is one result of the L.C.C.'s emergency obstetric service, the so-called "maternity flying squad," which came into operation recently.

London has been divided into four areas for the service, with a rota of three hospitals in each.

The service will cover four-fifths of London, the remaining fifth being already equipped with the service by private arrangements with University College Hospital and Barts.

BLOOD TRANSFUSION

. A special arrangement has been made for blood transfusion. When the call comes for the service, a message will go to the nearest of four centres where donors' blood has been stored in refrigerators by

Blood will be immediately dis- of the United States, said recently. patched by taxl or ambulance to the mother's home, sterilised and ready for administration without delay. "The flying squad will have

limited use, being confined to grave cases unsuited for immediate transfer to hospital," said the senior medical officer in charge of the service.

any large city in the world."

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Every woman who books a bed in any maternity hospital ward in Lonany maternity hospital ward in London is now handed an ambulance card by which she may "put herself in hospital" at any moment.

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these she can summon an ambulance to her door in ten minutes. No charge is made for its use.

Out of 100,000 women who have had these eards, only one has died of hemorrhage before the baby's than in New

AUSTRALIA'S "VITAL" STATISTICS

Canberra.

In Australia to-day One in six has a vadio;

Royal Visit Gets U.S. 'Het-up'

66 A MERICA is so excited. They're A all het up about the King's visit and can't talk of anything else." That is what Claire Luce, famous American screen and stage star, back in London after a four months' tour

"They pestered me with questions about what they should wear for the King and Queen, what formalities have to be observed, and all that. As if I could advise them.

"The King and Queen are going to have a wonderful reception. "It completes London's maternity was only when I returned to Eng-service, which is now the finest of land that I heard talk of America being critical of the advisability of the visit.

"There was not a word of critielsm in any quarter in America.

Miss Luce is glad to be in London Girl's

"Things seem more prosperous than in New York although they have bucked up there tremendously in the past year," she said. "Roosevelt is still the strong man

of America. I think he will have him retire."



In stately dress, here is Mrytelina Besosa presiding as Queen of Beauty at the 101st annual Ponce de Leon carnival in San Juan, P. R. Providing protection for the levely sovereign is the miniature policeman at left, who seems to have been fully won over to intense

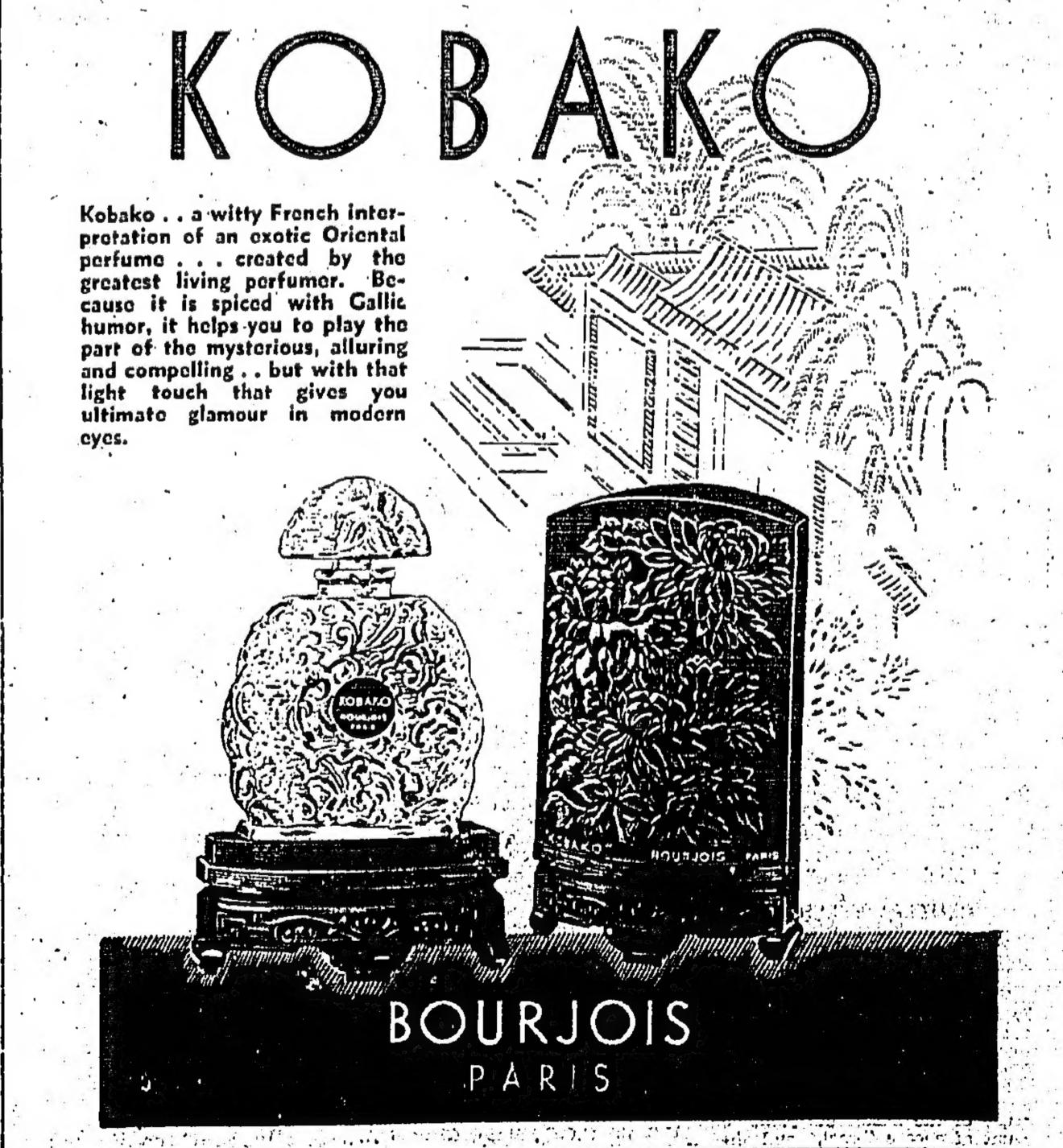
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to run for President for the third FIRST prize at the open-air contest for young stamp collectors, time. Americans will refuse to let held in Central Park, New York, was won by thirteen-year-Miss Luce will probably do a play old Alice Strever-with a collection started by her father when here. "Negotiations are on at the Alice was twelve months old.

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One in ten has a telephone.
One in ten has a telephone.
This information is contained in Later she goes to Hollywood to play figures published by the Common- in a film of the book "Mice and figures published by the Common- in a film of the book "Mice and figures published by the Common- in a film of the book "Mice and figures published by the Common- in a film of the book "Mice and figures published by the Common- in a film of the book "Mice and figures published by the Common- in a film of the book "Mice and figures published by the Common- in a film of the book "Mice and figures published by the Common- in a film of the book "Mice and figures published by the Common- in a film of the book "Mice and figures published by the Common- in a film of the book "Mice and figures published by the Common- in a film of the book "Mice and figures published by the Common- in a film of the book "Mice and figures published by the Common- in a film of the book "Mice and figures published by the Common- in a film of the book "Mice and figures published by the Common- in a film of the book "Mice and figures published by the Common- in a film of the book "Mice and figures published by the Common- in a film of the book "Mice and figures published by the Common- in a film of the book "Mice and figures published by the Common- in a film of the book "Mice and figures published by the Common- in a film of the book "Mice and figures published by the Common- in a film of the book "Mice and figures published by the Common the common that the common that







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66THE STRANGE DEATH OF ADOLF HITLER?

Poisoned On Eve Of Munich, Says American Book

"HE Strange Death of Adolf Hitler," a book in which it is asserted that the Fuehrer is dead and that his double, Maximilian Bauer, rules in his place by arrangement with the Nazi chiefs, is startling America.

The book has been published by the long-established New York concern, the Macaulay Company, which asserts that the facts as set out in the book come from an "unimpeachable source."

The vital fact, according to the book, is that Hitler was assassinated on September 29, 1938, at 2.15 a.m.—the night before the Munich Agreement.

Bauer himself is made to tell the actual story of the assassination.

He alleges that poison was put in an omelette which the Fuehrer ate at a dinner attended by Goering, Goebbels, Von Ribbentrop, Hess, and Bauer himself. Hitler, he says, died within a few minutes.

After a dramatic discussion, the heads of the Nazi State agreed that Bauer should take the dead man's place at the Munich conference, having sworn that he would never reveal the . impersonation or the death to the world.

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THE anonymous story tells the history of Bauer's life, of how he was hired by the Nazis as a member of Hitler's bodyguard of doubles and frequently impersonated him at ceremonies the Fuhrer was not inclined to attend himself.

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disclosed will develop world inknow Bauer personally.

know Bauer personally.

Nevertheless, according to their

why their wishes were never realized.

"However, New! York is probably



Countess Johann Helnrich von Bernstorff; American-born wife of the German diplomat who Ambassador when the United States entered the World War, who regained her American citizenship during a 16-day visit to the United States. She left to rejoin her husband, critically ill in Geneva. She was the former Jeanne Luckmeyer of New York.

Chamberlain's visit to Ger-

The manuscript was obtained, they add, from an unnamed German officer in the Mercantile Marine, who had in turn obtained it from at the Nice office." Shnon, according to the note, re-

The book, writes the Sunday himself, who asked that the book be dangerous by itself. withheld until his death.

In view of "its, immense world shall seriously have to ask how far dent, is certain to cause a major importance," however, the publishers one nation can go on insulting andecided to issue it immediately.

"FANTASTIC" The publishers themselves From inquiries they learned that | say: "We predict that the fact Simon received the typescript from plece of mischlef, I imagine, and will Express Museum here now know

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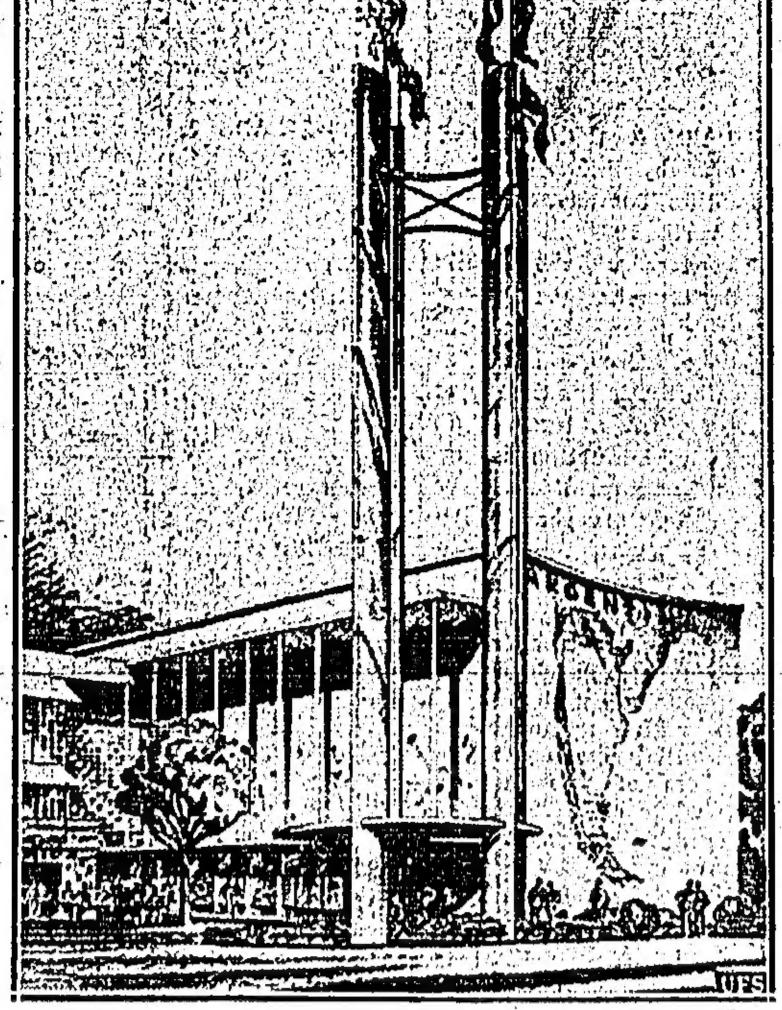
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that the sources of the book guaran- been circulated. tee its authenticity." But an official of the Compagnie

Generale Transatlantique described the tale as "fantastic." "Nobody of the name of Michel Simon has ever been connected with the Sunday Dispatch.

BERLIN SAYS-

a the German Ministry of Propaganda room where a number of "Stalins" "Michel Simon, of the Compagnic was, "It is beneath the dignity of were paraded; he examined them Generale Transatinntique, stationed anyone in the Government to con- all, made his report, and left. tradict the story. "The whole thing is so preposter-

ceived the manuscript from Bauer ous that we do not regard it as other without causing serious trou-

the only city in the world where anyone would take the trouble to publish such nonsense or where it could be believed."

"VERY MUCH ALIVE"

"Hitler positively is Hitler," in-sisted Captain Fritz Wiedemann, the Fuehrer's former personal adjutant, when he arrived in New York aboard the Hamburg,

He looked puzzled when questioned about the allegations in the book.
"I saw him two weeks ago. He's very much alive," he declared.
"Perhaps the Hitler you saw was not the right one," said one reporter.
"We all believe he is the right one," replied Capt. Wiedemann.

1935 STORY

The idea that Herr Hitler employed a "ghost" was first suggested in July 1935 in the Daily Telegraph.
"The use of a double was revealed here," wrote a correspondent from Munich.

"The double, almost indistinguishable from the Fuhrer, was loudly cheered when he appeared at the opening of a new motor road. ..."
Stories, less thoroughly documented, that a "Hitler" has sometimes been seen drinking beer in the famous Munich blergarten—the real

statement, "the investigation shows. Hitler never drinks alcohol—have

A DOUBLE DIED Both Mussolini and Stalin have

been reported as employing doubles. One of the earlier attempted assassinations of the Duce is alleged to have resulted in the death of a Simon has ever been connected with detective who bore a remarkable this branch of the C.G.T.," he told facial resemblance to him.

There is, too, the famous story of the heart specialist who was sent to Official comment on the book from Kremlin. He was shown into a He never knew which of the men was the dictator. . . .

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Hongkong, 4th April, 1939.

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Examination for Local Clerks

Applicants are informed that those selected to attend the examination on 11th April will be notified separately.

No further applications can be considered.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the Third Annual Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Head Office, No. 6 Des Voeux Road Central, on Saturday, April 22nd, 1939, at 3.00 p.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Board of Directors and the Statement of Accounts for the year ending December 31st, 1938.

The Transfer Register will be closed from April 10th to 22nd, 1939 inclusive.

> By Order of the Board of Directors, M. Y. TANG,

Chief Manager. Hongkong, April 1, 1939.

VISITORS HONOURED DINNER

The Singapore Chinese football team were the guests of honour at a dinner given by the South China Athletic Association at West Point last night. It was a highly successful function, about a hundred and fifty people being present. Among them were Mr. Chau Man-chi, President of the S.C.A.A., Mr. T. F. Lo, Chairman of the S.C.A.A., the Hon. Mr. M. K. Lo, vice-President of the Hongkong F.A., and Mr. Pryde, Chairman of the Hongkong F.A.

Straits Chinese Football Association not the applicant) will be required team, Mr. Chau Man-chi said that to deposit with an authorised the relations between the two association dated back for many years, officer who will be present at the The visitors' record in Singapore was sale, the sum of two hundr-. an enviable one, and it was a pity dollars, (\$200) in each. This sum that they were unable to field their will be refunded on payment of the full strength in the Colony owing to injuries. When the football team for the Purchase price. the 1940 Olympic Games is chosen, PARTICULARS OF THE LOT. continued the speaker, he was sure that some of the visiting team would be included.

Replying, Mr. Choo Kwai-low, Secretary of the Straits team, said that though they had lost here, they had not been disgraced. He expressed the appreciation of the Straits team for the hospitality they had encountered, and expressed the hope that in the near future they would have the honour of reciprocating the generosity of the S.C.A.A.

Proposing "Our Guests," Mr. T. F. Lo said that it was the carnest endeavour of the South China A.A. to cultivate (cleadthip and goodwill umong the people of all nationalities in this cosmopolican Colony, and lofty aspiraobtain their tion they needed the of the Hongkong F.A., encourage- President of the S.C.A.A. He had ment, from the Hangkong C.A.A.F., often lauded the football field as a and co-operation from sister Clubs, medium for promoting friendship. Officials of these associations and but he had found a better medium-Clubs were present at the dinner, that of a dinner. Everyone in the and the time was an opportunity to Football Association, he concluded. show them appreciation of their was happy to welcome the visit of

The Hon. Mr. M. K. Lo. rising to Mr. Pau Ka-ping, captain of the reply, apologised on behalf of Mr. South China A.A. team, then pre-J. Ralston for his inability to attend, sented Mr. John Then, captain of the He said that he was in a difficult visiting team, with a Chinese silk position for though as a vice-Presi-|scroll framed, and a footbali dent of the H.K.F.A. he was a guest, autographed by all the players in he also happened to be an honorary their match.

PARTICULARS & CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Tuesday, the 11th day of April, 1939, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Ma Tau Chung, in the Colony of Hong Kong, for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the KING, for one further term of 75 years.

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REFUGEE MUI-TSAI Alleged Ill-Treatment Of Unregistered Girl

A refugee from Canton, Tsiu Shing-cho, 42-year-old kept woman, was charged before Mr. R. Edwards being engaged in sweeping the floor with keeping an unregistered mid- not paid any wages, and on April tsai, Yuen Yun, aged 12, and with her mother offered defendant \$20 for ill-treating and assaulting her on March 21 at 55 Sm Street, second was refused. floor, West Point.

Canton when she was six years old who had a son and daughter. A few days ago the girl's mother the girl.

visited her daughter and found she had a number of bruises on the left arm as well as in the region of the left eye. It appeared that the girl had been beaten with a piece of fire-

na per sale

The girl did the work of a mui-isai, at the Central Magistracy yesterday and cleansing the spittoons. She was the return of her daughter but this

The girl gave evidence and said According to inspector H. W. that she was not sent to school but Fracer, attached to the S.C.A., the defendant taught her to read books. wirl was handed to defendant in She had her meals with defendant,

by her mother as security for a loan! The case was adjourned to toof \$70. The girl and defendant came morrow for the translation of certain to Hongkong on June 6 as refusees. documents relating to the transfer of

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volume was disappointing. We invour Douglas Aircraft and Glen Martin shares. The week's electricity output was 12 per cent. over the corresponding period of 1938.

The chemical industry expects lower profits for the secondquarter, The Southern Pacific Railroad Company during February suffered a loss of \$2,000,000. The American. Tobacco Company's first-quarter sales were substantially above those of last year. The first-quarter increase in telephones by the American Telephone Company is the second highest in eight years. The suntistical position of the oil industry has improved. The first cut in gasolene inventory in four months has been recorded and there has been a slight curtailment in the output of crude oil. Dow-Jones estimates the first-quarter-profit of Du Pont de Nemours at \$1.47 per share; Union Carbide \$0.60 and Monsanto Chemical \$1.00.

COTTON: The market declined on reports of the defeat of the Bankhead Bill and that an export subsidy is likely.

LONDON AVERAGES: APRIL Industrial Average 97.2 Rails Average 54.8 These averages are based on 100 as of December 31, 1934.

BASTERTIDE HOLIDAYS All New York and Chicago markets will remain closed on April 7th. The Winnipeg market will also be closed. In London, the markets will remain closed from April 7th. to April 11th., inclusive.

Our Offices will be opened on Friday, Saturday and Monday.

RACING PROSPECTS AT EASTER MEET

(By "Capt. Foster")

(Continued from Page 8.)

old brigade and the mare has been asked to concede 3 lbs. to the champlon sub-griffin, Marksman. The event is a classic and we shall certainly see a good fight. Among the old timers, Bistre, I am afraid, will subscription griffins, over a mile, for has no love for a soft going and Wild On paper Kut Cheung should have to be nicely weighted at 142 lbs. no difficulty in making his acquain-But the genet appears to be off colour. tance with the judges and further-Of the new generation Marksman with that astute jockey, Mr. Needa, in this moke, for it will be piloted by Mr. G. Treverton. Fairchild, I and Musketeer is trying to win out understand, will be Mr. S. W. Lee's of his distance. Celtie Star is dan- mount while Wild Bear will be ridden by Mr. K. I. Ip. Fair Eyes and. Phoenix should not be despised. In be ridden by Mr. Andrew Johnstone, my candid opinion this event will be who is the son of the late public idol, a problem to spot the winner and

Mr. John Johnstone (a former - tai- incidentally it is the second leg of Co.) and all those "old riders in the stand" will no doubt agree with me hat "J. J." was one of the finest jerkeys along the China coast ports. liowever, the young lad has a pair of

gaintels. Top Weight -Given-To-Red Feather

time to get used to the wee China

(first section) for "B" class China sons was responsible for their non-conics over a mile and we have a fine appearance in public. At any rate list to spot the winner. Red Feather all of them have now a clean bill of s at the top of the tree with the health and it looks to me that the timit lond and below him we have winner of this event is among this lot. Eve of Harvest and Rob Roy on the like A Roaring Time. Among those ame level, the latter two receiving that have already faced the start and only 3 lbs. It is hard to gauge the have not won, African Diamond will be looked after by Mr. Proulx while n close study of their racing times Rising Star will be steered by Mr. at the Annual Carnival reveals some A. W. Raymond. I understand that interesting Agures.

the mappy validy spring rands ride. Amber II who won the Hobart ride two mile post, once round and support in the parl-mutual departing. Rob Roy annexed this event in ment, but I do not expect the mare and the last three quarters were 1.26 fint. Red Feather won the Ladies Purse over a journey of 7 furlongs 49 yards in 1.45% and the last six furlongs were negotiated in 1.26%. It must be borne in mind that Mrs. Dunbar's pony was carrying 161 lbs. against Rob Roy's 152 lbs. and if we. The public idol, Racing Boy, is in apply the rule of three, Red Fenthur the penultimate event, the Talwan. is by far the better racer. The adjustment of the poundage shows that
justment of the poundage shows that
lied Feather is only three pounds
better animal which I do not agree.

Opportunity to lead the procession. Eve of Harvest captured the Griffins Good Morning, I believe, will be a Consolation Stakes over a mile in menace. Tempest Bay is not bad, 1.59% with the greatest of ease and but he has too much lead to carry.
the last three quarters were covered Whalsey is picely weighted and the in 1.28%. The Griffins Spring distance is to his liking. Handleap over a mile was won by

Lilliber in 1.58%, but the last six furlongs were clocked in 1.28% and the mare was carrying 166 lbs. Taking everything in the balance, Red Feather should therefore win. Conquering Time, the winner of the Lusitano Cup, is dangerous.

BAY STAKES

The Gin Drinkers Bay Stakes for non-winning China ponies, subscription griffins at meetings of the Hongkong Jockey Club, will no doubt prove an interesting event because it is a scramble from the 1½ mile post and anything may happen. A lot, of course, depends upon a good start. Thanksgiving Day won a good half will be in the limelight. Gladiator is not yet ready. Osk Bay is a new-tone to in the limelight. Gladiator is will in on the handicap and so is not yet ready. Osk Bay is a new-tone to in the limelight. Gladiator is will in on the handicap and so is not yet ready. Osk Bay is a new-tone to yet ready. Osk Bay is a new-ton

Good Race In Deep Bay Stakes

The Deep Bay Stakes is anotherinteresting event for China ponies,

UNKNOWN good hands and a fine seat and I am CANDIDATES. MAY START

In the Roschill Stakes for Australian subscription ponies of this season which have not won more than \$999. there are four candidates that have not as yet faced the start and they are A Roaring Time. Baffin Bay. Murrumbidgee and Winfred. All of them have done exceptionally well in The first leg of the daily double Carnival, but the general "knock-on the Hongham Bay Handicap out" through lameness or other rea-In the Happy Valley Spring Handi- ride. Amber II who won the Hobart.

Racing Boy Has Great Chance

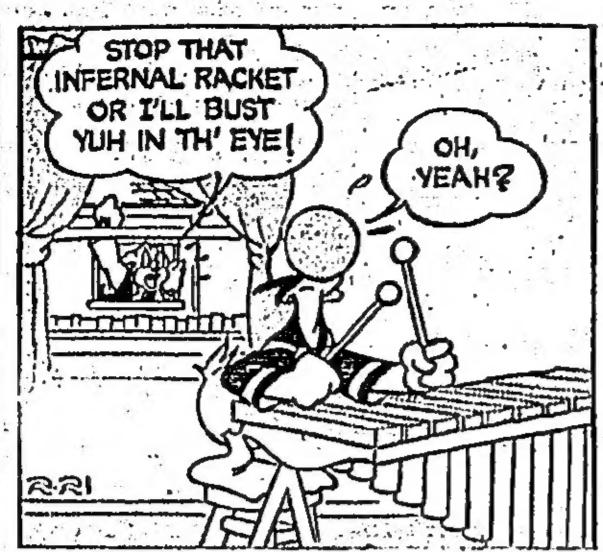
Old Friends May Come Out Here

The last event, the thougham Bay Handleap' (second section) for China; ponies, will bring out a good few of our old friends among the "B" raters and the run is over the mile course. In perusing the list of 14 ponies which Mr. Alves has assigned to this

By Walt Disney

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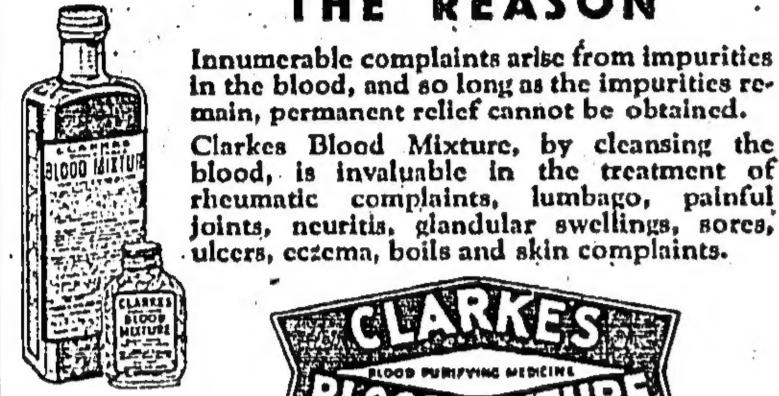


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A Look Through The "Telegraph"

HONGKONG TELEGRAPH

50 YEARS ACO

ANSWER: Germany. Blood tests in grussoms account of life inside the of motorists are now taken in walls of Victoria Gaol. If our corresall cases. The doctors claim that | pondent's statements ere accurate. they can estimate the degree of which we are loth to believe, a state ZBW on a Frequency of 845 k.c's. of affairs exists in our local 'penal and on Short Wave from 1-2.15 p.m. settlement' which requires the immediand 8-11 p.m. on 9.52 m.c's. per ato application of drastic remedies; in second. any case an independent investigation | H.K.T. would probably produce beneficial results. "One who has been there" says that confinement in our model prison is simply equivalent to killing by a dral. slow process of gradual starvation, 12.30 Compositions of Rudolph The unfortunate prisoners are scarcely Frimi. able to keep body and soul together, Sympathy (film 'Firefly') Richand ravenously devour the filth and ard Tauber (Tenor) with Orcheseven the most decomposed food they tra: Love Everlasting Ina Souez A.: The police call a doctor, who can get hold of.

25 YEARS AGO

leg, we learn that he has benefited by Selection ... Drury Lane Theatre his holiday.

of Kowloon residents has arisen since Tauber (Tenor) with Grand Sym- ford with Victor Young and His a mews has been opened on that side phony Orchestra (Sung in German). Orchestra: Dance Orchestra-Misof the water, and that is in the converting of Nathan Road into a race track over which galloping ponies are driven to the fullest extent by incom- Theatre Orchestra with Dorothy petent and inexperienced riders.

deen. On Saturday. Commander and by the Drury Lane Theatre Orches- Refrain: Vocal-When Did You Mrs. Basil Taylor and Mr. P. S. Dixon tra; Why Is There Ever Good-Bye | Leave Heaven? (film 'Sing, Baby, were out walking on this road, being ... Olive Gilbert (Contraito) accomp. | Sing') and Deep Shadows (Meskillfollowed by Mrs. Taylor's chair and by the Drury Lane Theatre Orches- White)...Frances Langford with coolies, when suddenly the coolies tra: Shirley Temole Memories.... Victor Young and His Orchestra; raised a cry of having seen tigers. 10 YEARS AGO

Apr. 6, 1920. are making for Yunnan. welcome to Marshal Chiang Kal-shek, Weather and Announcements. who is expected to reach Hankow at one o'clock in the morning.

5 YEARS AGO 61 1/8 /61 1/4 on account of "customer resistance." | hetween the northern port and Hong-

> Mile. Maryse Hiltz, the noted French The Farewell Parede to Colonel L. G. aviatrix, arrived in Hongkong just be- Ried. n.s.o.. o.z.z.. Commandent. fore six o'clock last, evening from H.K.V.D.C. will be held at Corps Head-Nanking on her return journey from " " on Tuesday; April 17, 1934.

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(Soprano) with Orchestra; Allah's Holiday The Six Swingers direct-Apr. 6, 1014. ed by George Scott Wood; Regimental Mr. (later Sir Robert) ho Tung, who |Song ("The White Eagle") Derck has been on an extended trip in North Oldham (Tenor) with Orchestra; China, returned to the colony on Enturday on the s.s. Llang-chow, Despite the serious accident which befell Nelson Eddy (Baritone) with him in which he sustained a broken Orchestra; The Vagabond King-Orchestra cond. by Charles Prentice; Foort at the Organ; Vocal-Long Rose Marie O Rose Marie I Love Another new danger to the children | You and Indian Love Call ... Richard

> 1 Time and Weather. Dickson and Olive Gilbert,

The appearance of a tiger on the and The Paramount Theatre Orches- Int) Grorge Formby and His Anton and The Paramount Theatre Todler-Sitting In A Jail House

1.40 Dance Music and Variety. Cinema Organ-Alexander's Ragtime Bund-Film Medley ... Llovd Thomas at the Mighty Organ in The The boycott of German goods in the Granada Cinema, Tooting, London United States appears to be gathering Plano-Rush Hour (Williamson) and strongth. Mandel Brothers, a leading Plano-Rush Hour (Williamson) and department store here, have discon- Japan to France, covering the distance

kong in just over eight hours.

The Donkey Screnade (film 'Firefly')
.... Patricia Rossborough; Dance
Orchestra—Tutti Fruiti—Fox-Trot
and Jam On Toast—Fox-Trot.... Gene Krupa and His Orchestra; Dance Orchestra-Never Break A Promise-Waltz and Summer's End-

Slow Fox-Trot Mantovani and His Orchestra with Vocal Chorus; Dance Orchestra-I've Got A Porketful Of Dreams-Fox-Trot (film 'Sing, you Sinners') and Good-N.gm, Little Skipper-Fox-Trot....Brian Lawrance and His Orchestra with Vocal . Chorus: Dance Orchestra-Show Bont Shume-Fox-Trot Duka Ellington and His Orchestra.

2.15 Close Down. 6 Studic-Children's Hour. Closing Local Stock Quotations. 7.02 A Variety Programme with Harry Torrani. Troise and His Mandollers, George Formby, Frances Langford and Tommy Tucker's

Orchestra. Orchestra W. Organ-Toy Land Medley Anton and The Paramount Theatre Orchestra with Reginald Ago and For Away (film 'Three Cheers for Love') Frances Langsouri Waltz (Shannon and Eppel) 1.03 Anton and The Paramount Victor Young and His Orchestra; Comedian—I Blew A Little Blast On My Whistle (Formby) and In My Medley Of Paso-Dobles ... Anton Little Snapshot Album (film 'I Sre Peak and in that district not having tra, London, with Al Bollington at been reported for about a week past the Organ; "Carcless Rapture" (Ivor interest in the mysterious snimal somewhat dropped, only to be revived by a tale of the animal having been on the forestry road above Aber-Dickson and Olive Gilbert accomp.

Seen on the forestry road above Aber-Dickson and Olive Gilbert accomp.

The provided tra, London, with Al Bollington at Ukulele with Orchestra: Dance Orchestra Till You—Fox-Trot and I Hadn't Anyone of the animal having been on the forestry road above Aber-Dickson and Olive Gilbert accomp.

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Orchestra with Al Bollington at the (Torrant) and Dan, Dan, The Yodel-Organ. Vocal Refrain; "Swing, Tea- ling Man (Torrani) Harry Torrani After the panie aroused by the col- cher, Swing"-Selection and "Sally, recomp. himself on the Guitar; lapse of the Wuhan defence, Hankow Irene and Mary"—Selection....Anto-day is remarkably peaceful. The ton and The Paramount Theatre major portion of the Wuhan troops ton and The Paramount Theatre or to and His Mandellers are retreating directly to Tealtien and Orchestra with Al Bollington at the with Vocal by Don Carlos: Comedian .-Trailing Around In A Trailer (Gif-The streets are gay with bunting in . 1:30 Reuter and Rugby Press, ford and Cliff) and Sold The Little Brown Hen (Gifford, Cliff, Formby)George Formby and His Ukulele w'th Orchestra: Dance Orchestra-Silver On The Sage-Fox-Trot (film The Texans') and There's A Brand

New Picture In My Picture Frame Fox-Trot....Tommy Tucker and His Orchestra with Vocal Refrain. 8 Time, Weather and Announce-

8.03 B.B.C. Recording-"Monsieur

Adapted for Broadcasting from Booth Tarkington's novel and the opera libretto by Frederick Lonsdale, by Gordon McConnel. Lyrics by Adrian Ross. Music by Andre Messager. Produced by Gordon McConnel and Rex Haworth.

9.15 London Relay-The News. 930 London Relay-World Affairs. By H. Wickham Steed. 9.45 London Relay-Sports News and Market Notes.

Snow White and The Soven Dwarfs -Selection (Morey and Churchill); Sailing Along-Selection; Head Over

Heels-Selection. 10 London Relay-Domino. A radio play by R. P. Hughes. Characters: Big Joe; Nellie; Alf, her husband: Edwards; Archie;

Macoherson: Miss Macpherson; lat Workman; 2nd Workman; The scene is laid in a steelworks, and in a house near-by; Produced by Edward Wilkinson. 10.35 Dance Music. Fox-Trots-Smile and Sing Your Cores Away and I'm Singing A Song For The Old Folks ... The Organ,

The Dance Band and Me (Plano); Fox-Trots-Laugh and Call It Love (film 'Sing, you Sinners') and On The Dumpy Road To Love Teddy Wilson and His Orchestra with Vocal by Nan Wynn; Fox-Trots-Day After Day and There's A New Apple TreeJack Hylion and His Orchestra with Vocal Refrain; Fox-Trots-Georgia's Gotta Moon and Rhythm In The Alphabet The Six Swing-! ers directed by George Scott Wood! with Vocal Chorus.

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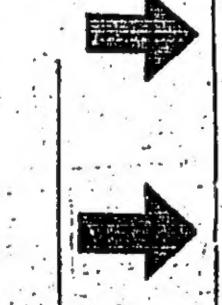
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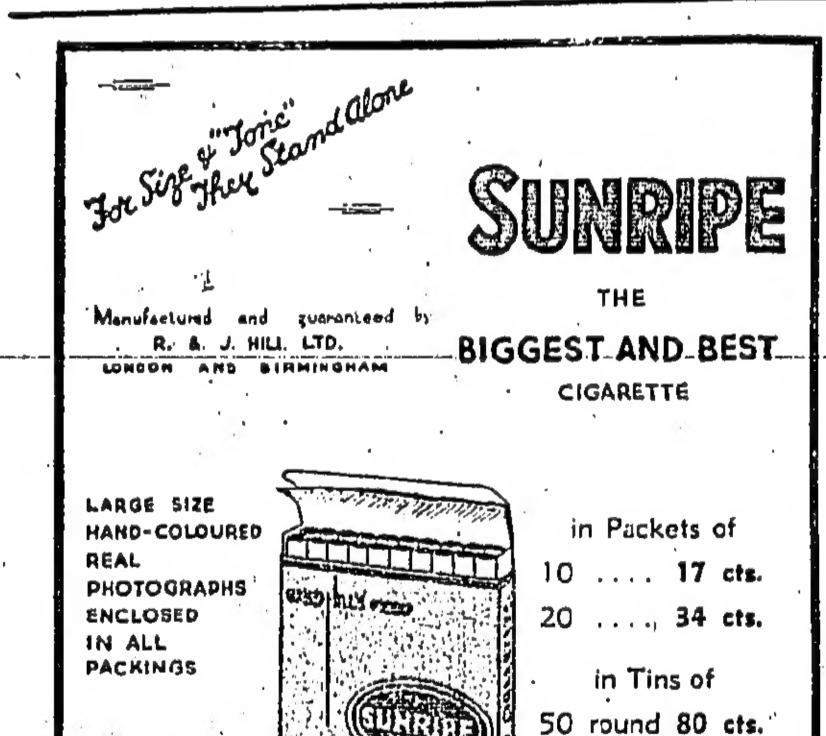
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DEATH .

Jacqueline Mavis, only daughter of Inspector and Mrs. W. Russell, aged three years and five months. Funeral will pass Monument at 5 p.m.

The Kjongkong Telegraph.

Wyndham St., Hongkong 'Phone 26615 April 6, 1939

Britain And Portugal

A MONG the unforeseen results of the Spanish Civil War in its early stages was a slight estrangement of .view between Britain, deliberately detached from the struggle, and Portugal, whom a contest waged just the other side of her sole land frontiers seemed to affect more intimately. The unfortunate possibilities of any seriwas a renewal with fresh bonds of the old Anglo-Portuguese friendship.--It-is-now-12-months-since-a-languages).--British mission drawn from all three fighting services went to Lisbon to survey with Portuguese representatives common problems of strategy and supply; so thorough were its discussions and so complex the practical difficulties that it was only at the end of the year that the of Education. members finally returned. mission certainly enhanced the ties of sentiment which united Britain and her oldest ally. Apart from the practical work accomplished, it paved the way for an agreeable cultural interchange.

Well-wishers in both countries have created in the past few months with the support of the British Council a British Institute in Lisbon and an Anglo-Portuguese Society in London. It is under the auspices of the latter that Londoners are now being privileged to hear lectures on Portugal and a concert in which Portuguese artists of the standing of Madame Suggia will take part. It is certainly time that two peoples are drawn from a bag. of proud and fertile literary traditions came to know one another more familiarly. Portugal has already shown herself appreciative of the new stimulus given three years foreign diplomats live, has two ago to English studies at Colmbra, main streets of shops, a few Prime Minister, Dr. Salazar, once held a chair. Britain, where Portuguese studies are as yet more honoured by individual scholars than widespread among the cultured classes, has an excellent oppor

BRUSSELS, Apr. 5,-King Leopold has tentatively commissioned M. Hubert Pierlot to form a new Cabinet.—United Press.

EUROPE'S CRAZIEST COUNTRY

Albania is in the news and rumours speak of an Italian invasion. Here. you will read of the strange customs of the country over which King Zog rules

Offer an Albanian a cigarette, and he will shake non-smoker, abounds strange things like that.

It has no radio station or rail- shocked delight way, yet modern air services as censored operate daily between important scenes flicker brought in petrol cans from wells a hearty clap. outside the town.

an Italian university.

the Adriatic to Italy or the high him is whispered at cafe tables. mountains to Greece or Yugo- Cafes take the place of Eng-Slavia. But the inland service lish pubs and clubs. All times they join in.

MODERN girls' school A with showers and ly as to be almost separate Oriental style.

mistresses, for until Zog came into power no Albanian woman was considered worth educating. The girls themselves choose monitors who dictate punishments, govern the school, and make suggestions to the Minister

Zog has banned veils, bu Moslem priests frown on bare legs-so the girls play basketball under a blazing sun in long black stockings and voluminous frocks. To "protect them from men," the girls are made to take their daily walk along specially deserted routes.

Sometimes gambling is permitted, sometimes strictly forbidden. It all depends on the Moslem feast of Ramadan. Then the ban is lifted to compensate. for the fast. Every night for a month tombolas are held in cafes all over the country. Sturdy mountain-dwellers pour into the towns and villages to risk their hard-earned leks, getting wildly excited as the winning numbers

MIRANA, where Government officials and bored the ancient University at which her poverty-stricken hotels, a collection of new brick Government. buildings, a tiny House of Parliament and two ramshackle wooden cinemas. Each has only one projector, so there is a long pause between reels. Sometimes the operator gets the reels mixed up, but nobody seems to mind. tunity of redressing past ignorance. Few of the audience can read the Albanian sub-title projected underneath the screen.

During the intervals boys come round selling bottles of pop, pea-nuts, oranges and dates. As the lower halves of their bodies are invisible, the manege-

LBANIA is Europe's ment economise by giving them beautiful braided jackets, but no trousers or shoes.

Sometimes films banned by If other countries are shown, for there is no censorship unless somebody objects. ans strictly with brought up with regard to women, gasp in

centres. There is no running on the screen. They always water: every drop has to be give the celebrated Dietrich legs

Albania's most hated man is Durazzo has a magnificent Abdurrahman Krosi, Zog's rightharbour which is always empty, hand man. Nobody seems to the Queen Mary Hospital, for Albania has no merchant know who he is, but everybody six sisters. While their brother on the finances of a poor little fleet or navy. Buffaloes drag hates him, except the King. heavy carts slowly through Hundreds have sworn to kill cobbled city streets, yet power- him. As he sits in the Kursaal ful modern cars dash along dried garden, soldiers and tough mud country roads. Inside may mountain fighters are ready albe a farmer in native dress and ways to defend their dreaded his well-groomed son back from master. In spite of hate, every- ments, which they command in body grovels before him, for it natty uniforms. A year or so the same day another great Al-From London you can tele- is said that Krosi's friends prosphone every European country per and his enemies die. Every except Albania. No cable crosses day a new atrocity story about fashionable things cannot

> is the simplest in the world. You men sit at the tables, sipping they are not popular in Albania. death. just pick up the receiver and ask tiny cups of thick Turkish coffee for Mr. So-and-So. If he's not and discussing what news the at home you can be put through censor allows them to hear. to the house he's visiting, for Their wives never go with them, the two operators know every for in Albania a woman's place number by heart. Usually they is very much at home. Even listen-in to conversations; some- the waitresses are foreign girls, mostly from Hungary, Rumania and Austria.

Albanian languages (the Gheg parts, the host will offer a gold. and Tosk dialects differ so great-traveller his wife in true

barber's shop, where they spend the body. hours being shaved, curled and massaged.

Zog is always preaching thrift, fun now that feuds have been good tailors elsewhere. banned. Moreover, the country, heavily and ever-increasingly in- was common in Santos at the time. debted to Italy, is riddled with graft and corruption.

GRIN AND BEAR IT

rarely ventures out for fear of country like ours." vendetta killing, they go where they like. The Albanian holds Zog chose for his wedding to sister, is worth a bullet.

They have their own regiago they went to America to banian leader was marriedbuy new clothes, for in Tirana bought. When they returned from America in the Queen Mary they had 90 pairs of shoes with them. Extravagant and proud, in mourning for this hero's

"How can we expect our people to economise when the King's this rocky corner of the Balkans. own sisters show such a bad example?" an earnest young Cabinet Minister of the new

I IVING in state with generation asked me. "Six ex-Zog are three of his travagant women are a big drain

With his usual cleverness, that no woman, not even a king's Countess Geraldine Apponyi-April 27 last year—a day memorable in Albanian history. Five hundred years earlier on Skenderberg, whose name is still revered throughout this tiny Balkan country. Even to-day many Albanians still wear the Xhurdin, a thick black jacket,

Thus does time stand still in

Geoffrey Lucy

MILLIONAIRE

THE mountain-dwellers The millionaire was drinking stone blazed on the little finger of his are tough, hospitable him. There was nothing unusual in looked out of place on an Englishous coolness were, however, speedily sanatorium wastes hours daily and hard working. A traveller that, for in those days everyone man, but, they did nothing to detract recognised in both countries, and the happy outcome, long before events in Spain took a decisive turn, and the happy outcomes, and events in Spain took a decisive turn, and the happy outcomes, long before events in Spain took a decisive turn, and the happy outcomes, in the most desolate of the from that man's appearance.

I was curious and asked a waiter about him.

> champagne attracted my attention. I had heard of him, his wealth, his He was sitting alone at a table in the generosity—and his success with the The lowlanders are lazy, cun- Casino. Before him the silver bottle opposite sex. The school is run by foreign ning, avaricious, effeminate and distresses, for until Zog came bored with life. One of their out any apparent satisfaction, as if he out any apparent satisfaction. greatest pleasures is to visit the were above such minor delights of

He was exceptionally handsome in a typical South American fashion. Dark, warm skin and glowing black eyes contrasted strongly with flashing for the average Albanian has a white teeth when once he smiled to a hard time wresting a living passing friend. His clothes were from the barren soil, with little perfect, not because they were made in London, but because there are

He wore no more jewellery than Three splendid dlamonds shot gleams of coloured fire from the snowy whiteness of his shirt. One amazing I did so.

By Lichty

"That is Senhor Roberto Moura, the But this particular drinker of coffee millionaire," said the waiter.

> the millionaire sat beside me because the place was busy. He spoke a few words of polite conventionality, and then became more friendly. During the evening an attendant brought him a note. The millionaire glanced at it, frowned, looked rather puzzled, and then handed me the note. Tomy great surprise, he said—"Would you mind reading that?"

I looked at the paper. Feminine writing said that she "would meet him as usual to-morrow." It was signed "Juanita." I was about to hand it back when the millionaire

I began to feel a certain contempt for the man. Why should he show me the letter if not to show me what a successful man he was. I felt that he was full of a childish vanity. Some nights later he approached me agdin.

"I wonder if you will do me great favour?" he said. "But before I ask let me say that I feel I owe you an explanation. But, first of all, will you write a few words for me?"

Rather puzzled, I took the paper he offered and wrote down the words he dictated. It was a small note making an appointment with a lady friend. By this time I was both puzzled and annoyed, and no doubt my feelings showed on my face.

Then the millionaire began t

"Listen, my friend. I have asked you to do this for me because I know you are discreet and I can trust you. How do I know? Because I know faces. I am a millionaire because I know faces.

"I am the son of a poor backwoodsman. My father and mother lived In a mud and wattle house most of their days. I myself was reared in one. I had none of the advantages of an expensive education, but I made myself rich. I did so because I learned to know faces and rend men's minds. And so, to-day, I, who was born in a hut, can live in a palace. All, as 1. say, because learned to know faces.

"I usked you to read me that note the other night, and to write this one to-night for two reasons. One, because I trust you and know you will be discreet. The other - reason, my friend, is this-I cannot write, or rend. I never went to school."

Miller Walson



"That Mrs. Bascomb called she said to drop her divorce porceedings and make her a murder trial estimate!".

OVERNIGHT NEWS PAGE

Britain

Stanhope Statement Creates A Furore

Lord Stanhope, First Lord of the Admiralty, has declined to make any statement concerning the suppression by his own Ministry last night of the speech he delivered aboard the aircraft carrier Ark Royal at Ports-

It is understood that Lord Stanhope simply sought to emphasise in the course of this speech the normal readiness of the ficet even in a period

as the whole matter is being raised on the Bulkan countries by the treaty in the House of Commons this after- of Trianon. noon. The speech so far has not | Any promise on the part of Britain | General at Hakodate in the Hokbeen modified or amended.

Neville Chamberlain and talked for Mungary, the Hungarians would be Japanese fishing agents proceeding about 40 minutes before the usual east into Germany's arms.-Transweekly meeting of the Cabinet this Ocean. morning.—Reuter.

Causes Furore

London, Apr. 5. The remarks made by Lord Stanhope caused a furore when the Admiralty attempted to suppress the information but was too late to stop the dispatches being sent all over the world.

The early editions of the Daily Express carried banner headlines "First Lord's Dramatle Announcement: All Anti-aircraft Guns in the Fleet Manned.

"The official, answer is that the ficet is taking precautions, and the fleet is always ready," he asserted. however, eliminated the Stanhope story except for a brief paragraph." Mr. Greenwood will raise in the Hungary may yet win Hungary away House of Commons a question regard- from Germany. Consequently Col. print in the interests of the nation." The Daily Mail printed the text of Stanhope's speech with the headline "First Lord's Navy Speech Sensation: Guns Manned And Admiralty Denial." The newspaper said that at 11.05 p.m. yesterday the Admiralty requested that the speech should not be published. By then the news had been flashed to the whole world. The circumstances of suppression would not serve the public interests,"

the Daily Mail declared. Further it reports that Naval Command Hendquarters at Chatham had said "There is no unusual activity. No leave has been stopped and the naval barracks are carrying out their normal routine."

-The Daily-Herald, without quoting-Earl Stanhope, says the speech caus-· ed a profound sensation and that many members of Parliament regard-

hurried consultations as a result of the speech. Some urged that the House should discuss the matter on Tuesday, but the Opposition decided not to act until Wednesday.

Mr. Arthur Greenwood, leader of the Opposition is expected to discuss the matter with Mr. Chamberlain before the question is raised in the House on Wednesday afternoon .--United Press.

NEW AIRCRAFT CARRIER

London, Apr. 5.-A new aircraft-carrier lounched at Barrow-in-Furness for the Navy this morning. She was named the Illustrious, and is the first of four carriers to be launched this year. The vessel is 740 feet long. and will be ready for service in a few months .- Reuter Bulletin.

SWISS ARMY AGE

Berne, Apr. 5. The Swiss Government has decided to raise the army age limit from 48 to 60. Men who are not fit for active service will be drafted to the reserve. Others will undergo medical examina-

Men from the ages of 20 to 32 who were exempted previously from military duty will have to undergo a further special military examination. -Reuter Bulletin,

Kumania

rurtner. Reservists Called Up

following reports that Bulgaria had Rumania has called up a number of 8 p.m. on March 15. reservists recently demobilised.

Bulgaria inquired from Berlin if and how far, Germany was willing to go. to support Bulgaria's claim to the

Beck's Visit

Military Alliance Reached

Britain And Poland May Sign To-day

London, Apr. 5.
The London bureau of Associated Press reports that the visiting Polish Foreign Minister, Colonel Joseph Beck, proposed to Mr. Chamberlain that by extending the spirit of the proposed British unliaterial assistance to Poland, a mutually binding mili-tary alliance should be concluded between Great Britain and Poland. Foreign Minister Beck, Associated Press further points out, is believed to have definitely declared in this connection, however, that Poland will not be able to assume responsibility for assisting the Soviet Union.

Press Warning

London, Apr. 5. A worning against a British of leave, and no question arose of guarantee of the Rumanian frontiers | took place at Viadivostok on Tuesday any immediate emergency being was uttered by the Dail, Mail this with Japanese representatives partimorning in an article which calls | cipating in accordance with the new-No comment has been forthcoming attention to the injustices imposed ly-concluded modus vivendi.

London, Apr. 5. that Britain and Poland will sign a defensive military alliance either to-day or to-morrow. It is reported that the Cabinet approved the alliance

It is understood that the Cabinet also dealt with the position of counter-moves.

It is stated in reliable sources that in China. mediation between Rumania and bullish elements had been active.

Col. Beck also reaffirmed to Lord join a mutual assistance pact with system, which is unreasonable. would regard her interests as amply the rouble exchange question. safeguarded in this respect if Britain | Thirdly, the necessity of fixing concludes an Anglo-Rumanian pact, standard catches, and readjustments but so far there is no evidence of between the Japanese and the Soviet this. Col. Beck wants the Soviet's Union of the fishing lots. benevolent neutrality without an

Britain_respects_this_Polish_attitude._ farming.-Domet. Britain is staging a miniature naval display for Col. Beck's benefit to-day at Portsmouth where he will first ed his speech as the most gross in- board the new aircraft carrier Ark doubts the sincerity of Moscow's Members of Parliament have held finally the destroyer Tartar from regards Japan as "State Enemy No. which he will witness anti-aircraft 1" and aims at weakening Japan

gun practice.-United Press. GERMANY AND ITALY GATHER TROOPS .

London, Apr. 5. Germany and Italy have assembled fisheries question .- Trans-Ocean. considerable forces on the Yugo-Slavia and Italian frontiers respec-

It is also reported that Italy has f taken diplomatic steps in Belgrade to ensure that there will be no hostile reaction to Italy's alleged urgings to Albania to accept protection. Diplomatic sources in Rome report indications of joint German and Italian military preparations to meet any democratic attempt to

encircle the Reich. Italy has apparently been carrying out a series of mysterious movements of land, sea and air forces coincident with the shifting of the crack Alpine troops headquarters from Rome to Trento between the French and Jugo-Slavin frontiers, together with the reported movement of German heavy

artillery to Italy. Reliable sources state that Italy has concentrated troops at Brindisi although the Government has officially denied the rumours that Italy is planning to move towards

Unconfirmed reports say that some Italian air squadrons have landed in

Albania. The Albanian Government has issued an official communique denying that Italian troops are moving similar demarche. United Press. towards Albania .- United Press.

Late at Night

Rumania has vent another infantry he appeared before Mr. Q. A. A. tion,-Renter. regiment to the Bulgarian border Macfadyen at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday and pleuded guilty to moved troops towards the Bulgarian a summons of allowing 107 women frontier. It is understood also that to be employed at his factory after state that General Franco immediate-

Unconfirmed rumours declare that spector of Factories and Workshops, militiamen and officers, as well as said he found the women working on political suspects now under arrest. the premises at 10.30 p.m.

"It is a particularly dusty trade leaders of the former Republican southern part of Dobruja, which of teather sorting, and it is specially organisations. Bulgaria ceded to Rumania, follow- essential that the women should General Franco on Good Friday ing the second Balkan war. finish at a proper hour," said Mr. will also pardon a number of men ings of these words will be found on

Mayor Kelly Is Re-Elected

Chicago, Apr. 5. In the Municipal elections today Edward J. Kelly was re-elected Mayor by a majority of over 177,000 votes against the Republican nomince, Dwight H.

Some observers express the belief that this election forecasts the winner of the 29 Illinois clectoral votes to be held in 1940, -United Press.

SECOND FISHERIES AUCTION

Russian Consulate To Re-Open

The second muction of fishery lots

Following signing of the new agreement, the Soviet Consulateto guarantee Rumania's frontiers kaido, which was closed last year, tive: Lord Stanhope called on Mr. would result in immediate enmity of will shortly be reopened to provide to the Northern Waters with licentes. A fleet of 144' Japanese fishing

bonts is shortly sailing from Hakodate, their advanced base, for opera-A Polish spokesman stated to-day tions in the Soviet waters off Kamchatka. The Japanese fishing bonts total 450,000 tons with their crews Including 20,000 men. Parndoxically enough the slocks of

at its regular weekly meeting this the Nichiro Gyogyo Kalsha, the Mr. Hsa who worked as interpreter largest fishing concern operating in for the Japanese.-Reuter. northern waters, proved the only exception in the Stock Market yes-Rumania and others with regard to terday when all other stocks gained the Anglo-French-Polish bloc, with from 50 sen to 3 yen as a result of Italy's intentions in Albania and the settlement of the Soviet-Japan-Spain, and with Germany's possible ese fishery dispute and the latest successes in the military operations

Coi. Beck made clear Poland's The Nichlie Gyogyo stocks fell by The 3 n.m. edition of the Express, unxieties to assure Rumania's Inde- 1.10 yen. The conclusion of a fishery pendence and his hopes that Polish agreement had been discounted and

Press Criticism While stressing that the fishery ing the extraordinary speech made Beck was reluctant to pledge Polish agreement signed in Moscow on April by Earl Stanhope which the Ad- help for Rumania against a German 2 is epoch-making in that it ensures miralty asked newspapers not to attack which would be made through that Japanese interests are enabled Hungary or against direct Hungarian effectively to operate the stabilized invasion. The British regard Col. fishery lots for at least five years, the Beck's hopes of alienating Hungary Asahi Shimbun comments that esfrom Germany as illusory, but these sentially none the less the present differences have undoubtedly changed agreement does not differ very much the role for which Rumania is cast from previous agreements, as pendin the new halt-Hitler alignment. Ing issues still remain unsettled.

Outstanding questions are, firstly, Halifax that Poland will refuse to abolition of the Soviet auction Russin. He suggested that Poland Secondly, a radical settlement of

Fourthly, the protection of fish, and

nctive share in the new bloc and research work in connection with fish

To Weaken Japan

Tokyo, Apr. 5. The Nationalist . Hochi Shimbun Royal, then the cruiser Glasgow, and aims and emphasises that Moscow wherever she can.

The Tokyo Asahi Shimbum demands that the Japanese Government make no further concession to It is unofficially reported that Russia in the final settlement of the Successful Bidding

.Tokyo, Apr. 5. A Foreign Office spokesman announced to-day that a total of 357 fishery lots were leased by Japanese interests at the auction at Vladivostok. Japanese participants made successful bids for 254 lots at Tuesday's auction, which included 244 grounds for salmon and trout and 10 grounds for crob.-Domei.

Italian Troop Movements

Paris, Apr. 5. The Quay d'Orsay confirms that Murshal Petain made a demarche at Burgos late yesterday asking for clarification of the recent embarkation of Italian troops at Cadiz, but the reply has so far not reached

The Qual d'Orsay has no information whether London has made a Commons Statement

Mr. R. A. Butler stated in the House of Commons to-day that as far Women Found in Factory as he was aware the Italian and German Governments have not withdrawn their troops from Spain. He was fully aware of the Italian as-A. fine of \$75 was imposed on the surances given in this respect, but manager of the Sing On Feather the war is just over. The Govern-Works, of Shum Chun Street, when ment proposed to watch the situa-

AMNESTY EXPECTED

Paris, Apr. 5. Reports from Burgos this merning ly before Easter- will grant an Mr. D. W. Phillips, Assistant In- amnesty to all former Republican The amnesty will not include the

condemned to death .- Trans-Gecan.

China

of five points:

HONGKONG TELEGRAPH

SECRET PEACE PLAN IS REVEALED

Chungking, Apr. 5. The Ta Kung Pao gives prominence to a sensational alleged detailed secret agreement between Mr. Wang Ching-wei and Baron Hiranuma, Premier of Japan, consisting.

Japan should launch an offensive on three fronts: In North China Japan must occupy Slan, capital of Shensi, to effect encirclement of Szechuen and cut communications between China and Russia; in South China Japan should occupy Nanning, capital of Kwangsi, in order to exert pressure on anti-Japanese sentiment in that province and cut communications between Kwangsi and French Indo-China; in Central Chinn Japan should take Changsha cut the Klangsl-Hunan railway and occupy Slangyang and Fengehen in order to apply a stranglehold Hunan and Szechuen provinces;

When Japan completes the foregoing programme, Mr. Wang Chingwei will personally lead on anti-Chiang Kai-shek and anti-Communist war:

Mr. Wang Ching-wei will be responsible for the organisation of an anti-Communist national salvation olliance with himself as chief execu-

An agreement should be discussed for restoration of peaceful friendly relations between China and Japan; For the realisation of the second and third points Japan should pay. Mr. Wang Ching-wel \$3,000,000.

The paper alleges that Japan has already made two payments. claims that the details of the secret agreement were obtained by the ed aboard their ships in readiness to Chinese authorities through a certain

Anti-British Organisation In N. China

Kalfeng, Apr. 5. An anti-British demonstration took necessary agitation were place at Kalfeng, capital of Honan, altogether successful, but the incident under the jurisdiction of the Provisional Government on Tuesday afternoon, when some 5,000 citizens held a mass meeting and adopted a (Laughter and cheers). resolution denouncing British assistance to the Chiang Kal-shek regime.

Branding Great Britain as "China's public enemy," the resolution alleges that Britain's supplies to the Chlang Kal-shek regime are mainly responsible for the prolongation of warfare in China, Urging the British authorities to reconsider their attitude. the resolution says that otherwise British influence in China must be ousted .-- Domei.

Associations Formed

Shanghai, Apr. 5. Anti-British associations have been inaugurated in 52 districts in the occupied areas in Central China, according to reports from Nanking. It is stated that 150,000 persons have joined the Nanking section, where women have now started a boycott of British goods.

The so-called "general affairs section of the anti-British movement committee" in Nanking occuses Bri- from time to time to make requests tain of aggression in China; also to the press-it was no more than fomenting internal strife and that. He had always found the press obstructing reconstruction of the rendy to comply. country. The committee is paying special attention to anti-British edu- the blame for the action, which cation among children.—Reuter.

Death Of French Sailor On Visiting Sloop Able Scaman Eugene Berthou, 25, dropped.

died on Tuesday evening on board the French sloop Tahure which had made a routine voyage from Shang-

He was a single man, it is learned, marks of mine comphasising the and his relatives are all in France. readiness of the Navy to meet all Catholic Cemetery at 10 a.m. to- easier leave is being given, should

CAPTAIN H. SHULTE

Shanghal, Apr. 5. Funeral services were held to-day for Capt. Henry Shulte, retired American Army officer, who died at the Fourth Marines Regimental Hospital on March 28 from pneumonia. The services were conducted by the

Capt. Shulte served with the United States army in Tientsin and Manila as a warrant officer but retired with, the rank of captain. He fought in the Boxer Rebellion and Philippines insurrection and the Spanish-American and world wars. United

MAHARAJA DIES London, Apr. 5.

The death is announced of the Maharaja of Benures, Captain Sir Aditya Narayan Singh Bahadur. He was 65 years of age, succeeded to the title in 1931, and was created a knight in 1933,-Reuler Bulletin.

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Lithuanian Stand

country will take no part in any collision between the great Powers, Sho will remain neutral and her forces will defend the country if attacked.

Reuter Bulletin.

Sea Lord's Indiscretion

man the anti-alreraft guns of

"Long before the guests came aboard this ship, 16 anti-aircraft guns could have given a warm welcome to anyone who happened to come this way.'

"With this announcement Lord Stanhope ended his speech."

Commons Reference Referring to the suppressed speech, the Prime Minister declared in the House of Commons that the First Lord of the Admiralty's speech was

It was not true that he had invited the press to give special prominence

In the course of his remarks, Lord Stanhope drew attention to the fact that there was not a full attendance, as some of the men had been retainman guns, as had been the normal practice in times of tension.

No other orders had been given by the Admirally than that this practice should not be relaxed even on so

"Constant Readiness"

Labour Objection

Mr. Arthur Greenwood asked: "Does the Prime Minister regard the First Lord of the Admiralty as a fit person to hold such an important post, and will he give an assurance that such indiscrect, irresponsible, and unpremeditated statements shall not be repeated in the future by respon-

sible officers of the Crown?" The Premier replied: "The First Lord has expressed his regret that his words, which perhaps were not very happily chosen, should have given rise to so much comment, and go-much-unnecessary-alarm,--I-do not-1think that affects the efficiency of Lord Stanhope."

Press Not Instructed

Replying to Sir Archibald Sinclair, Mr. Chamberlain said that he thought it appropriate for the Government

The Premier added: "I must take wanted."

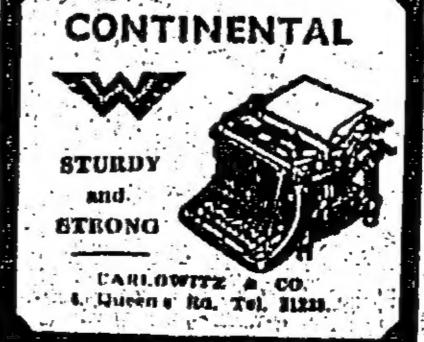
Labour members of the Opposition asked if Lord Stanhope's statement was not most unwise. The Premier retoried that Mr.

in the debate, and the matter was

Stanhope Explains In the House of Lords, Lord Stanhope made an explanatory statement in which he said: "I can only He had been ill for several days, express my keen regret that any re-The funeral takes place at the eventualities, even when, as now, have added to the work of the Premier, or cause concern to anyone."

> London, Apr. 5. The political sensation resulting from the First Lord of the Admiralty's statement on the Ark Royal yesterday threatened to complicate the increasingly delicate European situ-

Albania as a move to offset the Halt Hitler programme. There are hints that Earl Stanhope will lose his post as First Lord of the Admiralty. He arose carly this morning and arrived at the Admiralty ht 8.30 a.m .- United Press.



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special an occasion.

As It seemed to him (Mr. Chamberlain), this statement might very likely be treated in a sensational manner, he gave directions that the press be asked not to publish an account of the speech. "Apparently," added the Prime Minister, "my efforts to spare the public any unwill, at any rate, have served to demonstrate the constant readiness of the Navy for all eventualities."

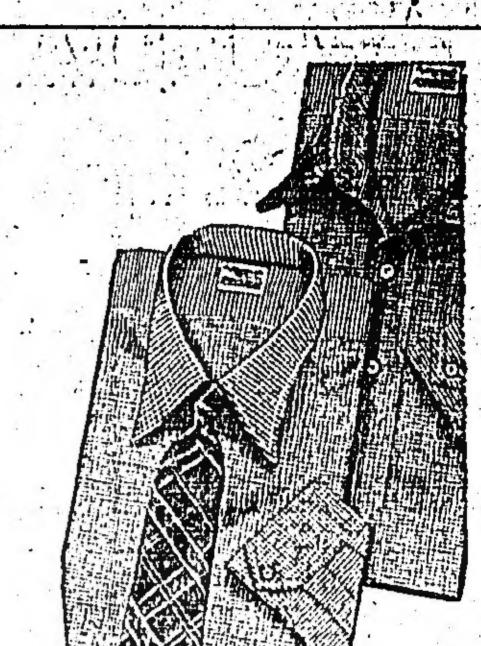
certainly did not produce the effect Mr. A. V. Alexander and other

Alexander was making more of the incident than was necessary. Eventually the Speaker intervened

Political Sensation

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the reported Italian plans to occupy



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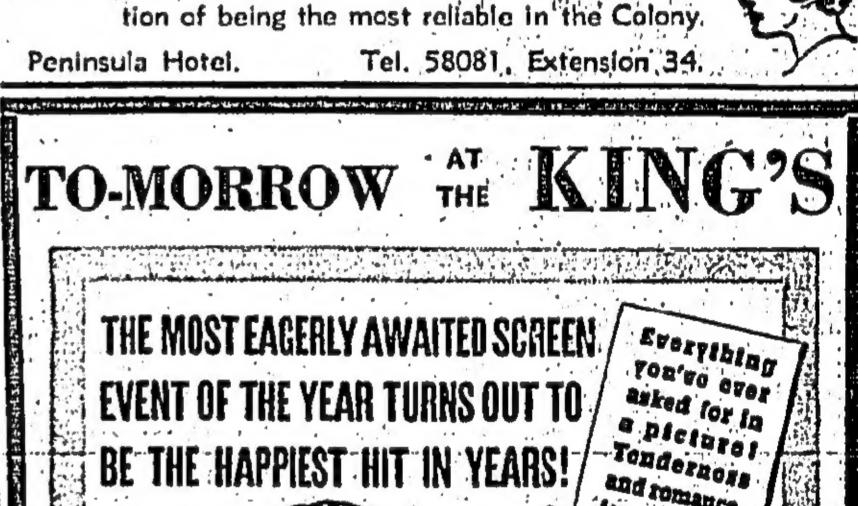
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Capital Programme For Each Day

A fine Easter programme of two days' racing will be contested at Happy Valley during the holidays and it is carnestly hoped that the Clerk of the Weather will be kind enough to provide us with a good grass track. On Saturday the first saddling bell will be chimed at noon and the meeting will continue on Monday. The tiffin interval the meeting will continue on Monday. The titin interval Henry Cotton has been appointed will be immediately after the second race on each day and captain of the British Ryder Cup Watch At the third event is timed to be run at 2.30 p.m.

tion of the Australian and China and we may look forward to a good ponies issued by the Hongkong day of thrills and handsome return Jockey Club under the date of March of substantial dividends. 20. One would hardly believe that there are only eight Australian ponies classified in the senior form, but a flock of 37 is in the "B" division and a total of 29 appears, in the grade. The classification sub-comin dividing the China ponies, there being no fewer than 63 in the "D" standard while in the "E" company are just half a century. There are only eight "A" class China ponies, including Rose Elect and Navylight, but the "B" division has a strong fighting force of 31 ponies and the "C" section is well represented with ing. It is not possible to predict at Chance and I am sure the combinaan aggregate of 42 China steeds.

some ponies, but the criticism was not course, I would advise punters to in 1935 and I wonder whether the of a constructive nature. Space does pour out their money on the low increase in stake money has brought not allow for a general survey of weight carriers. iwhat the argument was, but one thing is certain and that is that it is impossible for the sub-committee to please everybody. It is interesting to relate that none of the Australian ponies of this season is to be found in the "A" class, but among the China steeds, Celtic Star, Marksman and Musketeer have been drafted to the "C" section.

However, on Saturday racing enthusinsts will have the opportunity of dollar bills on the first day.

the ponies have practically only one two ponies. engagement, this naturally makes it By the way Mr. Alan Raymond is easier for the students of form to no longer on the injured list, for he

MANHATTAN

Martini

I have before me a new classifica-| compile a ranking list of their own

At-time of writing the grass track is on the heavy side and in the circumstance it must not be overlooked ponies) have not as yet learned by The results were as follows: experience the sensation of galloping Motherwell on a slippery course. I am sure that Kilmarnock there must be a lot of mudlarks or mudders as our American friends call them, but so far no rail bird can compile a list. Last Sunday at Arcia Freta the change from a firm to a was seen in action at Macao last soft course caused several upsets and Sunday, winning the Fulwell Handi- S. A. Rumjahn v. J. M. Tomlinson the top weighters could not get go- enp with his old friend Double Cham Kam-moon v. Lee Wal-tong this juncture what sort of race track than will have something to say in Lee Yue-wing and v. T. A. Pearce and There has been, as usual, a lot of we are going to have on Saturday, this event on Saturday. King's argument over the classification of but should there be any water on the Worthy's last public appearance was

Sylvandale's Prospects Are Rosy

The Meeting opens with a sprint seeing this year's subscription and over six furlongs and the official bona fide griffins running for the first handleapper has assigned 14 "D" time against the old stagers in the class China ponies to the first sechandleap events and I would like to thon of the Taiwan Bay Handleap. TEN RACES A DAY

Race-goers will be treated with a Race-goers will be trea ask punters to go slow with their five The winner is to receive \$600 and Race-goers will be treated with a capital programme of ten races each day, the main event being the Easter day, the main event being the Easter Stakes for China ponies over a mile to be contested on Easter Monday.

The conditions of this classic have been altered to a handleng event in the open country and I have not seen not started at the big meeting. has been posted at the big meeting, has been posted at the big meeting, has been posted at the big meeting. has been posted at the big meeting, has been posted at the big meeting. has been posted at the big meeting, has been posted at the big meeting. The conditions of this classic have been altered to a handleng event in the open country and I have not seen not started at the big meeting. has been posted to a post of honour and so does Advancing on the actual playing post of honour and so does Advancing on the actual playing post of honour and so does Advancing on the actual playing The conditions of this classic have the open country and I have not seen not started at the big meeting, has been altered to a handicap event in- him after his successful run at the been nominated by Mr. Dunbar, but stend of a term race, but I am atraid annual meeting. When they clashed, been nominated by Mr. Dunbar, but stead of a term race, but I am afraid annual meeting. When they clashed, it is learned that this grey gelding that it will be a tame affair owing Sylvandale, the winner, conceded a has been sold. In any case we should to the presence of the champion, good-weight of the lead to Flybynight not worry-over-this entry as there owners must have noticed that the small third management of the second and are several attentions. owners must have noticed that the third respectively, but it will be re-stake money has been increased, membered that these three racers had are several other speedy merchants better than Annas Bay. I cannot see specially in the minor events and the novice pilots on their back whereas lowest third prize is \$200 instead of on Saturday the "black letters" the usual \$125 at the Extra Meet- jockeys will be in the saddle. I have ings. The Taiwan Bay Handicap for not been able to ascertain who is go-"D" class China ponies and the ing to ride Sylvandale, but I do know Hongham Bay Handicap for "B" class that Ebony Idol will have the short China raters have been sub-divided distance star jockey, Mr. B. Prouix. into two sections at the discretion of Ebony Idol has grown in substance the official handicapper and the and strength under the careful handisegregation has given us plenty of ing of the Fanling halberdier and we food for thought. However, as all shall see a good tussle between the

COCKTAIL

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Thursday,

Away Teams Win In Scottish Matches

that all the youngsters of this season played in the First Division of the the second round of the doubles. (both the Australian and China Scottish Football League to-day.

> great old warrior, Valorous, is not out of the race and Desert Star, the winner of last year's Valley Stakes, looks dangerous with only 155 lbs. to shoulder. However, I will make my final selections on Saturday.

Jennifer Should Lournament Win The Mirs Bay Stakes

furthermore the distance is to her liking. For the lower positions in the frame there will be a good fight between Blue Diamond, English Cavalier, Forgotten Star, Hectic View and Galveston Bay.

Strathroy Not In Albury H'cap

Although the ex-champion, Stra- storters and jockeys: hroy, has returned to the course, Mr. Bistre J. F. Macgregor has not nominated Celtic Star him for the Albury Handleap con- King Kong fined to "A" class Australian ponies Marksman over a mile. Very poor entries (to Milleage be precise, only four) have been re- Musketeer ceived and no explanation has been Rose Evelyn offered for the non-entry of Able Strathbannock Amazon and Gypsy Love. Courting This Time Eve is definitely accepting, but it wild Cet well keyed for the mile sprint. Lan- Tong-sen is considered by the weight Mr. Wei, has a pull of 5 lbs. against

OUR WEEKLY The Pilgrim' on—

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GOOD POSITIONING ONE

Leading Scores Of Season

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H.K. H. A. TOURNAMENT G. Singh (Radio S. and P.C.)

Good Doubles Tennis To-day

London, Apr. 5. | Lee Yue-wing and Ho Kn-mu play an average allowance of good luck. save, perhaps—can add considerably Nevertheless, leaving out the ques-Peared and Duff who drew a bye in the first round, have not yet been seen in action, and much interest will The match will be played on the

stand court. The programme is as follows: OPEN SINGLES

Upsets In African

championship semi-finals,

Field Certain For This Race

for China ponies, subscription grif- key goalkeeping-particularly in fins of any season, has attracted a close range work. One day everyfew past champions and several thing goes right—the hard shots are classy subs of this year's batch and all straight at him, all his kicks are the run is over the champion course. magnificent, his run-outs perfectly The following is a list of probable timed, and at close-range every-Mr. H. P. Chanson

Mr. S. W. Pan Mr. A. W. Raymond Mr. V. Needa Mr. A. Johnstone Mr. C. F. Chiu Mr. C. Encornacao Mr. D. Black

Mr. H. C. Pih (Continued on Page 4.)

GREAT ADVANTAGE In the following paragraphs. I have endeavoured to write down what are considered to be the most important points about hockey goal keeping. Some of these consist of principles that can be learned from experience, while others are qualities which a goalkeeper should possess in

some degree before his experience begins, and without

which he can never hope to be more than moderately suc-

It is considered that, apart from of a game—a lucky save, perhaps— fit for play, an interesting match will tributes of a successful hockey goal- second he is having an oif-day, but be decided in the Colony Tennis keeper are (1) a good sense of an- I feel that there is more in it than be decided in the Colony Tennis ticipation and position, (2) ability to that, and a piece of good luck in the the goalkeeper his fair share of good Championships this afternoon when ticipation and position, (2) ability to that, and a piece of good luck in the goalkeeper his fair share of good clear shots after saving them, (3) early stages of a game—a lucky luck.

The position of the goalkeeper ever, I expect it is the same for the do maintain that there is a considerwhen the person shooting is opposite other positions on the field, and able amount of skill in hockey goalto the centre of the goal is not dif- when the small size of the ball is keeping, and that the tactics of the scult-in general, he stands in the considered together with the speed position can be studied and deby focussed on them this afternoon, middle of his goal-but anticipation with which it can be hit into goal, veloped in a fashion smillar to that as to where the shot is coming is not I do not think anybody will begrudge for any other position. so easy. If the attacker is on the run, he will often shoot in a direction, but if he receives the ball in a more or less stationary position information about the direction of his shot can often be obtained by watching his feet. It is also worthwhile

bearing in mind that, given a chance, forwards tend to shoot to the goalkeeper's left, as there is prevalent among forwards a theory that a gonikeeper is more vulnerable on his left side than on his right. THE FOLLOWING UP SHOT So many goals are scored by for-

ing from the rebound, that it is very important that, not only must ball safely away afterwards-prefering of the ball can easily be practhe South African Lawn Tennis shot at him and he stops it and

> away __completely_on_his_own, he sihmust be met on the edge of the circie. If the goalkeeper does not succeed in robbing him of the ball, he does at least give his backs a chance to cover the goal, and often, in trying to put the ball wide of the 'keeper, the forward hits it outside. LUCK PLAYS A PART

I do hold the opinion that luck Berg. The Sub-griffins Spring Handicap does play a recognisable part in hocseems to go right—goals are scored will emerge winners. The four to represent their country in the first seems to go right—goals are scored players who have been seen in action to represent their country in the first seems the formatter than the corners the formatter than the fo in the corners, the forward just gets there first when the 'keeper runs out, or the only shots he has are quite impossible.

LUCK GIVES CONFIDENCE I know it is quite easy to say that, in the first case, the goalkeeper is on seems to me that the mare is not yet Rose Evelyn belonging to Mr. Eu form and that in the second he is cashire Chips, who will be ridden by adjuster to be the best among the there is more in it than that, and a piece of good luck in the early stages

STANDINGS OF TEAMS TO DATE

Hockey Association Tournament:

RANDOM JOTTINGS BY "THE PILGRIM"

THE Recreio ladies almost rulned THE H.K. team showed pretty good their chances of winning the form in their last game before Brawn Cup when they only managed their departure for Shanghal on a draw against the D.G.S. last Satur- Sunday. Mrs. Read scored six goals wards following up a shot and scor- day. They still head the league and seems to be regaining her form I and drawn 2 with 26 points to their ate the services of Miss E. Grey was hand. Should the H.K. Ladies win Colony defence. their remaining fixtures—they are at Favourites were beaten to-day in team-mates. One of them hits a present without the services of their MR. G. E. R. Diveit, the popular shot at him and he stops it and Greig, who is away as a reserve with centre forward, left for Shanghai last tries to clear while the rest of his tries to clear while the rest of his Interport town—thou will the In the men's event, E. Sturgess, of concaques follow up the shot and with Recrois and a rooley will be week. He will be away on business Another interesting contest before lunch will be seen in the Mirs Bay Stakes confined to China ponies, bona

Southern Transvaal, bent Vernon Kirby, the South African Davis Cupleagues rollow up the shot and a replay will be away to intercept his necessary. I doubt they can accelerances. Goal-posts are not complish this feat without the assistances. Featly necessary for this, and so it really necessary for this, and so it really necessary for this, and so it really necessary.

> pitch. I think an ability to flick the fell at 1 p.m. last Sunday it was 5.30 p.m. A full attendance of pail is of great help to a goalkeeper impossible to hold the six-a-side members is requested. pened to Sunday, April 16. The old IN a practice match on the "Y"

> maxim-"If in doubt, run out." One I chosen to represent Shanghat case is quite clear: if a forward gets against Hongkong next Saturday completed the hat-trick for the win-

Goalkeeper: Miss U. Paelz. Backs: Miss E. Bloomfield and Miss M. Osu.

Forwards: Miss J. McKcown play for a country, either choosing (capt.) Miss D. Eardley, Miss M. the nationality of his father or Sheridan, Miss N. Kelly and Miss U. mother. Once he represents the From the above team one will ob- future play for no other. This rule serve the absence of Miss Frances was decided upon by the Representawinks and wass Evelyn Victal, the tives of the International Tournafamous pair of backs, who visited ment and will be submitted to the

the Colony in 1951. I coubt wiss meeting of the H.K.H.A. council this Esther Bloomfield and Miss M. Osa afternoon for their approval. are as good, and this gives me Miss D. Eardley, Miss M. Sheridan quested to get into touch with Mr. and Miss Kelly.

table, having played 15 games, lost of last season. It was very fortuncredit. Their nearest rivals, the acquired at the very last moment, in H.K. Ladies, seem to be in a better place of Mrs. Wilmot who is unable position with 13 games played, 2 lost to make the trip, and her inclusion and 22 points, having two games in should somewhat strengthen the

THE usual monthly meeting of the I H.K.H.A. Council will take place intruding on the actual playing OWING to the heavy rain which at St. Andrew's Hall this afternoon at

> last Tuesday, Y.M.C.A., fielding their best team, defeated India by three goals to two. Dayson, playing at centre forward, ners. Datta Rom and M. H. Hassan were absent from India's defence.

Halves: Miss I. Wilkinson, Miss M. WITH regard to the International Ballingall and Miss M. Malinovsky. W Tournament, a player may now country he has chosen, he shall in

L. H. Tan, Hongkong University:

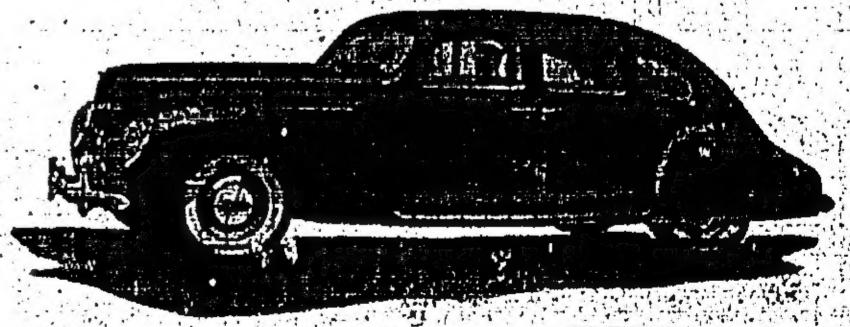
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(By "Abe")

In many respects the soccer match played between the Straits Chinese and the Hongkong shakily in the first half, improved in Combined Chinese at Caroline Hill yesterday was The appearance of Ip Pak-wa, the old South China left-winger, who has the best of the three which the visitors have played in the Colony. The exchanges were faster and more even than in the previous two games, in both of which the tourists were out- veteran gave a good display.

solitary goal scored in the first half, the local Chinese took the ball down some-very deft touches which threw mostly comedy—human comedy the caterian film it was. In all their matches in Hongkong the visitors have played well enough in and later Chan Tak-fai again they only been able to take advantage of their touches and but for a importable bit the world mostly comedy—human comedy the entertaining film it was.

THE THEME

The Kirbys are purse proud the capture of their torcitorial superiority. He may not be expetity sensible, but the capture of their torcitorial superiority. midfield, and but for a lamentable hit the wood-work of the goal tage of their territorial superiority, do may not be exactly sensible, but Vanderhofs are pleasantly "pixiweakness in front of goal, some of with the custodian completely they should certainly have been more
the results might have been different bester attended an enormous

London, Apr. 5beating the Hon. Mr. Max Aitken and Henry Cotton by three and two over 18 holes.—Reuter.

football, and though he started

not been playing soccer for three years, at inside left for the local Chinese enused general surprise, but considering the fact that he has been out of the game for so long, the

suii on the whole they had only work left little to be desired; only in had a very narrow angle by the time themselves to blame for missing so finishing did they fail. Chan Kwong-he was able to shoot, but Cheung yie, the Police back, who has been playing consistently well of late, was grounder and the ball went to Chia the most exciting moment of the given his first taste of representative Kong-hock who was following up.

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PRAISE OF CRITICS

Take It With You," This picture, of the business of living. lauded everywhere and local critics, therefore, were justified in looking was directed by Frank Capra and forward to seeing a really fine film made by Columbia Pictures, a com-

Though the Straits players were game was immediately on resumption of the extremely fortunate to win by the tion when, facing a one goal deficit, solitary goal scored in the first half, the local Chinese took the ball down toward of the ball down

The most exciting moment of the given his first taste of representative Keng-hock, who was following up, Keng-hock, Yuen Kunn-hong (Ho interested in mency. Kok-choy) and John Chyc.

Combined Chinese:--Cheung Wing- This in itself does not sound very choi; Hou Yung-sang; Chan Kwong- promising, does it? But wait until. yue: Lau Hing-chol, Leung Wing- you see the film. It is a wow! chiu, T'se Kam-hung; Tang Kwong- As usual in a Frank Capra film sam, Cheuk Shek-kam, Chan Tak- there are many brilliant perfai, Ip Pak-wah and Yeung Shul-

SPORT ADVTS

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- Secretary. Hongkong, 3rd April, 1939.



attendancy attribution attrition contrariwise - disputable - con-

If distributors in the past have they all come under the heading of sometimes erred in showering praise good clean fun. If the film has any on a picture which has not deserved lesson, it is that while life may be it, there is no fear of their having real it should not be too carnest, done so in the case of "You Can't and that fun is a worth-while part

In view of the fact that the picture when they went to the preview held at the King's Theatre yesterday.

They were not disappointed. Not a bit. "You Can't Take It With Is as good as that old box-office suctions."

You" is a truly great picture, cess in many respects and better in the parties of the control of t possessing all the qualities which one some. The same master hand

The Kirbys are purse proud. The weakness in front of goal, some of the results might have been different. Yesterday they revealed the same seconds, but the ball have intered the net. And, hanging when in front of goal; but tills time entered the net. And, hanging they found that their counterparts in the local team were afflicted with the same malady.

In the second half especially, the longkong Chinese for long periods fence. They did everything they found that done without being able to score. Admittedly they were unlikely in not-doing so more than once; still on the whole they had only in the forward line the approach they found that the counterparts in the forward line the proposition of the forward line the proposition of the forward line the approach they found that their counterparts in the local team were afflicted with the same time. And the second half especially the found that their counterparts in the local team were afflicted with the same time. And the Straits forwards. The local team were afflicted with the same time to clever for Chair Kwong-yue, the specially was much too fast and too clever for Chair Kwong-yue, the specially was much too fast and too clever for Chair Kwong-yue, the local team were afflicted with the same time to clear the ball inverted the net. And, hanging combination, and Gold the Straits denoted the sent the local team were afflicted with the same time. The Vs live and work in a difficulty in scoring.

Choo Seng-quee kept a firm check in the centre-forward had no difficulty in scoring.

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The Local Chinese eleven did not represent the full strength of the same

> That is the theme of the film. formances by supporting players.
> One by Harry Davenport, as a judge in a New York night court, will send film-goers into fits of laughter; another by H. B. Warner, as a man who has been made bankrupt, is an unforgettable moment of tragedy.
>
> "You Can't Take It With You"

> cannot fall to be a box-office success. It appeals to all sections of the com-munity; lowbrows are certain to like it, and highbrows will find themselves bowled over too, whether they
> like it or not. Those who wish to
> save their tearstained faces afterwards can draw consolation from the flawless technical efficiency with which every bit of the picture has been made.

RYDER CUP **CAPTAIN**

London, Apr. 4. Henry Cotton has been appointed Captain of the British Ryder Cup golf team.—United Press.

Badminton Match

At the Club de Recrelo last evening, P. S. Bun and M. S. Lim defeated C. Au and F. Ko in the semifinals of the badminton doubles champlonship by 12-15, 15-12, and

Lim was outstanding and did much o win the match, while Au also played a good game.

BAER-NOVA BOUT

New York, Apr. 4. Mike Jacobs, the famous promoter, has announced that the Max Baer-Lou Nova heavyweight bout will be held at the Yankee Stadium on June 1.—United Press.

FEATHERWEIGHT: TITLE

London, Apr. 5. In a bout last night, the English feather-weight boxing champion, Spider Kelly, was beaten by Len Bailey, the Welsh feather-weight champion.—Reuter Bulletin.

ANNUAL DINNER

The annual dinner of the Hongkong Riffe Association will be held in the Rose Room, Peninsula Hotel, on April 21 at 7.45 b.m.

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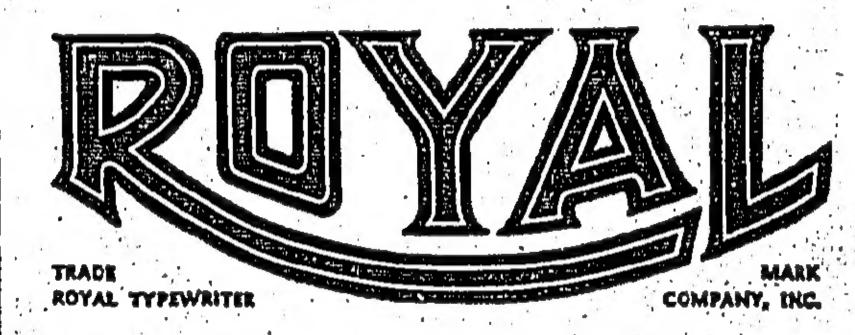
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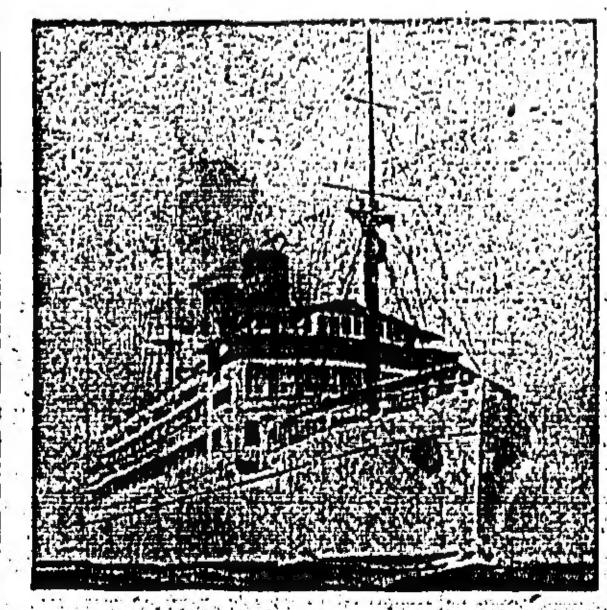
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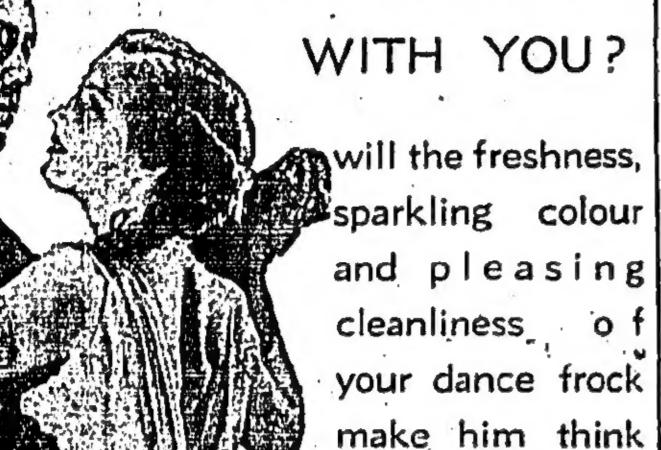
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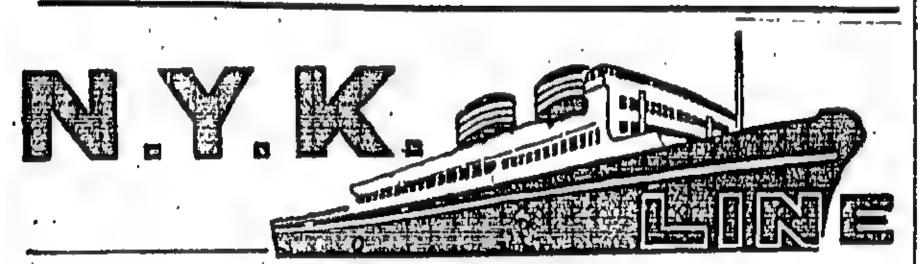
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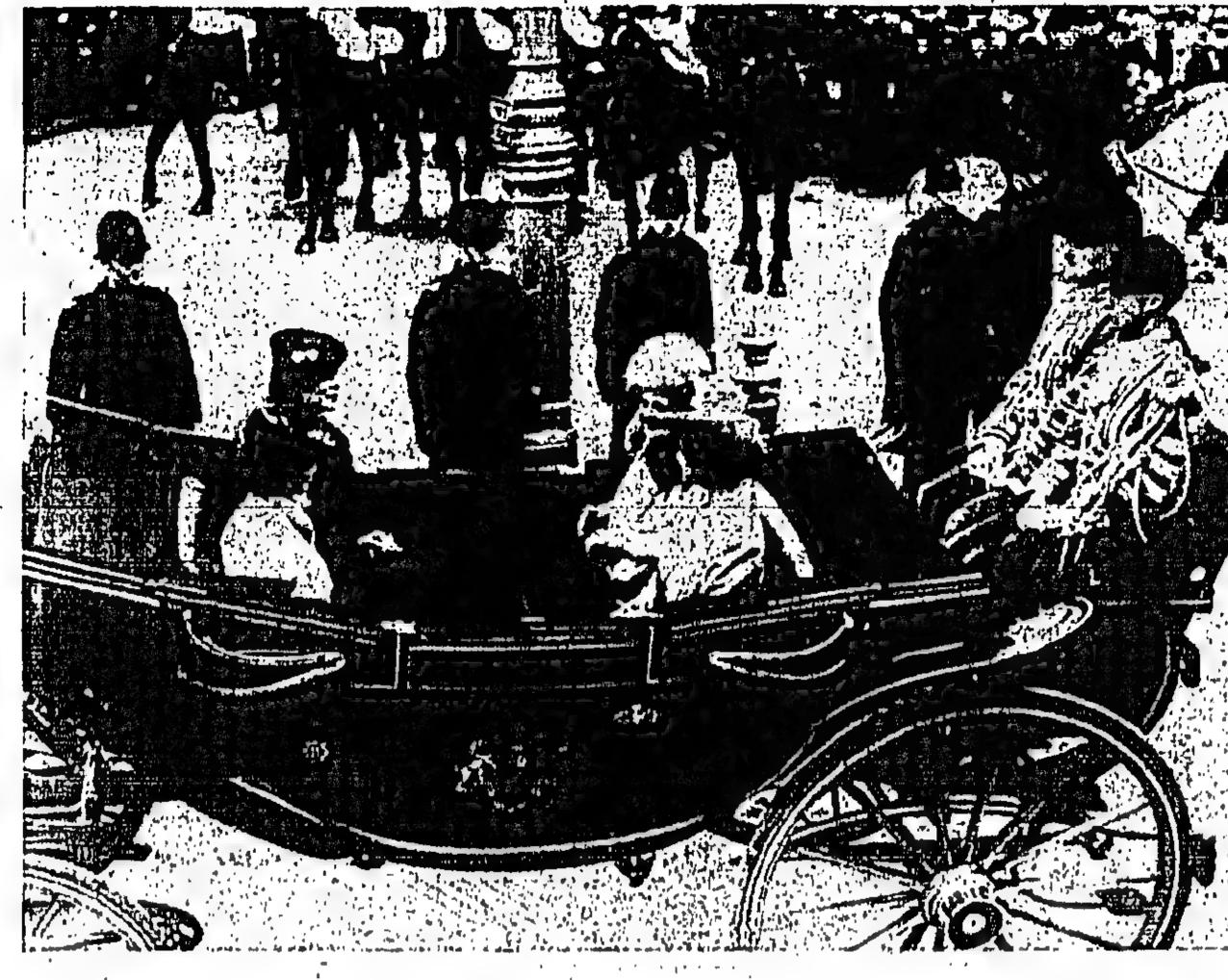
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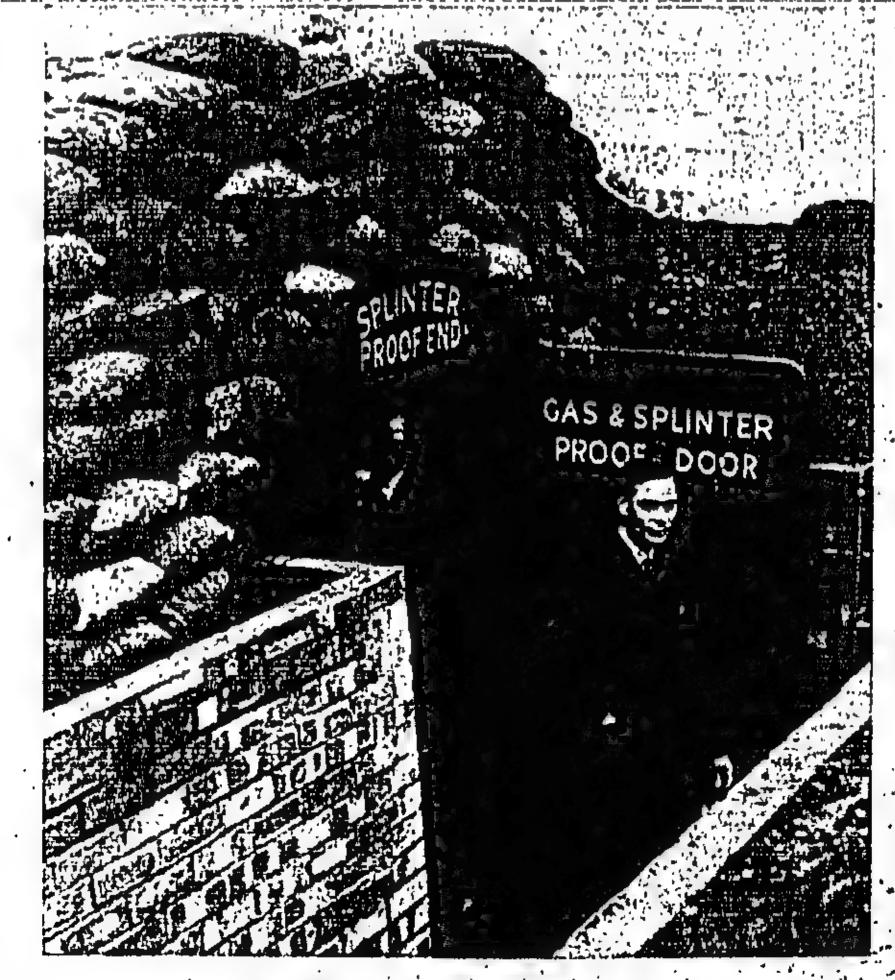
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The King and Queen visited Birmingham recently and made an extensive tour of the city. On this page we show some of the incidents of their Majestles' tour, Below: The King and Queen arrived at the New Street Station and were welcomed by the Lord Mayor and the High Sheriff of Warwickshire, Mr. Baron Ash, who were presented to their Majestles by Mr. Chamberlain, the Minister in Attendance. Lower Left: Their Majestles inspected the Centre Hospital at Edgbasion and the Queen performed the ecremony of naming it. Left: In the afternoon the King toured the Heavy Section of the British Industries Fair at Castle Bromwich. His Majesty entered a splinter-proof and gasproof air-raid shelter which was on exhibition there and enquired as to the protection it gave. He was told it would resist the effects of a direct hit.





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Mr. Neville Chamberlain also expressed the House's deep sympath-over the depth of King Ghazi (ir connection with which flags were flown at half-most on all public buildings in London to-day).

Mr. Chamberlain, said there we not the slightest foundation for the allegations of agitators that the British Government was in some way responsible for King Ghazi's death.

The Iraq Prime Minister had informed the British Charge d'Affaires that a public expression of regret would be passed by the Iraq Parliament; that Mr. Monckmason would

be accorded a public funeral with full honours, and that a suitable grant would be made to Mr. Monekmason's dependents, and reparation for damage caused to the British Government's property .- Reuter. .

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Baghdad, Apr. 5. In his published findings, the mogistrate investigating King Ghazi's death states:

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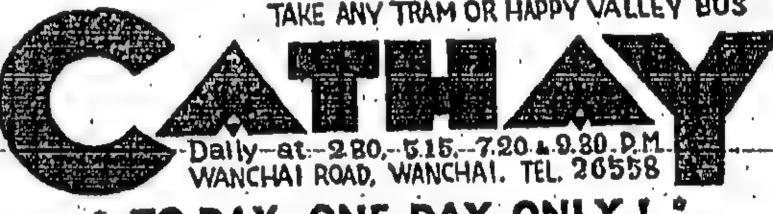
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Ray G. Pensyl received an unarrived at Shanghai at 1 p.m. yester— "Thirteen years 1860," the letter day and left at 7 a.m. to-day. She read, "I stole some candy from your is due at homikong on Baturday at store. Now the Lord has saved my soul."

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The First Sea Lord's speech was suppressed in London newspapers at the request of the Prime Minister.

It was also suppressed by British news agencies, and was not received in Hongkong from "Reuter's" until 8 o'clock this morning, 24 hours after it had been received from other sources.

WITHDRAWN

The First Lord's statement was published in early editions of London newspapers yesterday but was THAT ALL ITALIANS ARE BEING withdrawn from subsequent editions.

Yesterday afternoon papers, PRESS. however, splashed it as the leading story of the day after it

("Lightning Attack")

Won't Work

Completed

IN THE House of Commons

to-day, Mr. Chamberlain declared

that Britain is fully prepared to

repel any lightning attack either

The Premier mildly rebuked

Earl Blanhope for "speaking out

of turn" but at the same time

admitted that the Government

considers this to be a "time of

tension" and had accordingly

instructed naval gunners to be

This was taken as confirming

reports that the Navy and Air

Force have been on the alert for

the past ten days, patrolling the

North Sea and the English

prepared to man their guns.

Channel-United Press.

was a "Mickey Mouse"!

modiately continued:

"REUTER" VERSION

In a speech last night, which was

the subject of a statement by the

Prime Minister in the House of

Commons to-day, Lord Stanhope,

by air or sea.

Italians Evacuate Albania

Hitch To Duce's Plan For Conquest old unlicensed hawker.

EVACUATED FROM ALBANIA Crown. BEFORE TO MORROW NIGHT. DIPLOMATIC . STAFF. - UNITED

Rellable quarters in Belgrade have received reports from Albania saying that King Zog favours resistance to the "Italian" demands -that - Fascist troops be permitted to occupy several 'Blitzangriff' Albanian ports and airports.-United

Danzig For Reich?

AMSTERDAM, Apr. 5. It was reported here this afternoon that Colonel Beck, the tendant said. Polish Foreign Minister, in the **British Precautions** course of his conversations London, agreed to the cession of all did so. At the station I was Danzig to the Reich, and also asked if I knew the man, and replied to the construction of a German that I did not. I was then sent back motor road across the Polish to my beat.

Corridor. Although no confirmation of the be charged with accepting a bribe. reports could be obtained, the Amsterdam Stock Exchange reacted sharply, and closed with a 50 per cent. recovery on initial losses .--

Coup Believed Imminent

NEW YORK, Apr. 5. An "Associated Press" despatch give money to him for me. against Albania is believed imminent not speak or understand Cantonese. in diplomatic circles at Rome, some don't know how to collect money; it

had become obvious that any is expected by Thursday morning, defendant's statement. attempts at suppression would the despatch adds.—Domei. apply only to English news-

forthcoming overnight.

Evacuation Begins

Tirana, Apr. 5. The report was first received The entire country is in the grip in Hongkong from "Trans- of tension in anticipation of a August, 1937. Ocean", which described the momentous development with Italy. The Italian residents in northern incident as having occurred dur- Albania have reportedly started ing the screening of a "propa- evacuation abroad. King Zog personally presided at an emergency ganda film" aboard H.M.S. Royal Cabinet Council to-day to discuss the Oak. The "propaganda film" threatening situation.

Following conclusion of the urgent session, the Government announced that military measures were being This morning, "Reuter" gave taken to meet the situation. No the following view of the inci- reference was made in the announceto the present crisis.—Domei.

Italiant To Start Occupation

ligrade, Apr. 0. The Belgrade correspondent of addressing an audience of about 1,000 Associated Press learns from reliable aboard the Ark Royal, explained the sources that the Yugo-Blay Governabsence of the Duke of Kent on ment has received information that account, of a, sore throat, and, im- Italian troops will start occupation of

I HAVE SEEN THIS SORT OF THING"

CONSTABLE WHO TOOK 4 CENTS BRIBE GAOLED

AN INDIAN CONSTABLE who joined the Hongkong Police Force less than two years ago was sent to prison for three months this morning for accepting bribes.

His plea for the substitution of a fine was refused by the Magistrate, Mr. R. A. D. Forrest, who made trenchant remarks concerning the prevalence of bribery in Hongkong, and the difficulty of bringing dishonest officials to justice.

The constable was Piara Singh. He was charged with extorting two cents from a licensed hawker, Lo Kam, at Wanchai, and with extorting two cents from Tsui Ping-chuen, a 14-year-

During evidence yesterday TIRANA, APR. 6-IT IS AU the third Magistrate, Mr. T. J. THORITATIVELY LEARNED Houston, was a witness for the

The revelation that the case was THE ONLY EXCEPTION IS THE brought into Court hurriedly because the Crown feared that one of the principal witnesses was about to abscond was made by Inspector A. V. Baker, during this morning's hearing.

Constable's Evidence Defendant went into the witness box to give evidence on his own behalf when the case resumed.

"I was on my 'beat' in Wanchal Road when Mr. Houston (the Third Magistrate who gave evidence yesterday) came up and called me," de-"I turned and saluted Mr. Houston,

who ordered me to arrest a man and take him to the police station.

"Three hours later I was recalled, and was then informed that I would

"I Am A New Man"

"Why was I not told of this when I first went back to the station? have not taken any money. I don't know the Chinese who was said have been with me at the time. never asked him to collect money for me, nor did I ask the hawkers to

from Rome says that the Italian coup "I am a new man here, and I canobservers hinting that it will be is not within the sphere of my police work. I cannot understand why the

"What is this man's record?" Mr. L. D. Senrie, Assistant Superintendent of Police, replied that

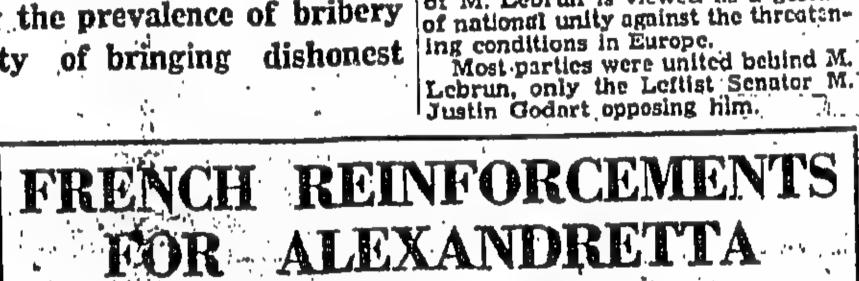
Piara Singh joined the force "He has an extraordinarily good heavy tolls." character," he said.

"Common Knowledge"

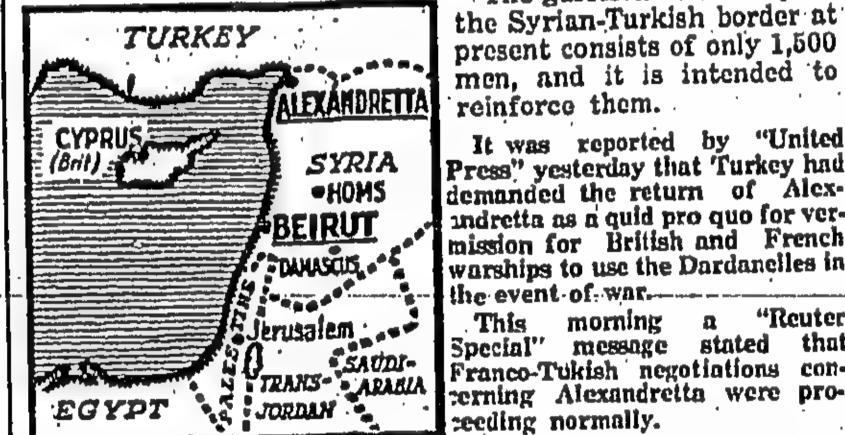
can commit," the Magistrate said. | more returned to Chinese hands, ac-"I think it is common knowledge cording to military reports.

"I myself have seen this sort of the enemy troops were killed. before the Court. thing going on in the Colony's The remnant Japanese were finally

Albania at midnight (7. a.m. to-day this offence can be committed, and



A "Reuter" message reported last night that France is despatching a cruiser to Alexandretta. The garrison at the city on



reinforce them. It was reported by "United | Press" yesterday that Turkey had demanded the return of Alexundretta as a quid pro quo for vermission for British and French warships to use the Dardanelles in

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M. Lebrun shares with President

Bouisson 16, M. Pictri 10.

the French Republic, was re-

Official figures for the Presidential

This morning a Special" message stated that Franco-Tukish negotiations concerning Alexandretta were proseeding normally.

WAR IN CHINA

Possession

SIUSHUI, Apr. 5.

CONFUSED STREET FIGHTING between Chinese defenders and Japanese forces raged since yesterday at Kaoan, strategic town on the Nanchang-Wangtsai highway 40 miles southwest of Nanchang, as the invaders, reinforced with fresh troops, launched a fresh assault on the town from Wanshoukung.

To counteract the Japanese thrust, Chinese forces in the vicinity of Kaoan started n vigorous, offensive on Siangwusilence, but an important declaration The Magistrate refused to accept kwan, three miles east of Kaoan he evening of April 2, and inflicted considerable casualties on the

The struggle for Knoan has admittedly cost both sides crushingly

Chinese Recapture Monanchen "Although defendant may have an Monanchen, south Shansi town and

extraordinarily good character, the scene of numerous bitter struggles guerilla chief of Changshu, a fact remains that the charge is one between Chinese and Japanese forces small town on the Shanghaiof the most serious a police officer in the last few months, has once Nanking railway, and also re-

that this practice has been going. The Chinese forces achieved this on from very early times, and it is success after a series of vigorous always extremely difficult to find assaults on the Japanese garrison evidence sufficient to bring a case force there in which more than 300

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The Government is about to place or police, who immediately organising the scheme.

French police, who immediately organising the scheme. , evidence to bring a case before the westward. through . Chuliutsun,-Central News.

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ASSASSINS THWARTED

Jammed Gun Saves Life Of Guerilla

SHANGHAI, Apr. 5. A JAMMED GUN saved the life of Yang Tsai-san, a former sulted in the capture of a luckless assassin in French town shortly

after noon to-day. The assassin fired point blank when he saw Yang Tsal-san coming out of an alley, but he missed. He fired again but the gun jammed.

rushed to the scene and captured

ALLIES SOUGHT

IT HAS been learned from a very reliable source that Herr Hitler had a long conversation with Signor Mussolini by telephone this morning.

It is reported that Hitler agreed with the precautionary military measures Italy has already adopted.

Secondly, they discussed questions involving concerted action in case political events in Europe made

such action advisable. Meanwhile, Italian officials BORDER refuse to make any comment

regarding the reported military movements. Pressure On Spain

During his conference with the Count Ciano, the Italian Foreign Minister denied the arrival in Spain Troops Face To Face Jyles and President Greavy the disof fresh Italian volunteers. tinction of being the only Pre-

sident for two consecutive times .-High Nazi sources in Berlin Indicate, however, that Germany is "United Press" states that election bringing strong pressure to bear on of M. Lebrun is viewed as a gesture "cneirclement" programme.

the international tension.

Monwhile a new burst of abuse against Britain has started on the preparing to lodge a strong protest grounds that she is attempting to with the Soviet authorities against encircle and strangle Germany. The the latest Soviet "incursions" into Press has laid emphasis on "Earl Manchoukuo territory. | Stanhope's statement.

most serious and grave attack yet last. The Soviet side was believed made at any peace policy. The sensational reports about Albania The Toppens a Sanno District along the Argun River on Monday last. The Soviet side was believed to have suffered heavy casualties. belong to the same chapter," the finally succeeded in repelling the German papers say .- United Press.

Talks in Berlin

Berlin, Apr. 5. A communique announcing that Inpanese in the dispute area now staff talks are at present proceeding, include 80 cavalry troopers and 80 between the German and Italian artillerymen with three heavy army leaders, adds that General machine-guns and three artillery Keitel, chief of the supreme German pieces.-Domet. command-is-conferring_with_Signor Pariani, Secretary of State in the Italian Ministry of War, and the chief of the Italian Staff at Innsbruck today and to-morrow.-Reuter.

Bulgarian Denial

SOFIA, Apr. 5.—Informed circles deny the reported movements, of Rumanian frontier.—United Press:

Anglo-Polish Pact

London, Apr. 5. Britain and Pokand have apparently reached final agreement on the defensive pact. Following the conference, a Polish Representative said that Mr. Chamberlain will read a statement in the House to-morrow "upon which we have mutually

ngreed." The American Ambassador also conferred with the Polish Foreign Minister and learned details of the agreement.—United Press.

Jowish Question

Poland and Britain, according, to the Poles, have agreed about the principle for the solution of the Jewish question in Poland, and it is understood that practical measures in accordance with this agreement will

It is reported that Colonel Beck maintained the Pollsh, position that Hungary should not be omitted from the Eastern European defensive alliances, and emphasised Poland's (Continued on Page 7.)

British Ambassador on Thursday, Soviet And Japanese

TENSION

HSINKING, Apr. 6. JAPANESE and Soviet troops Spain to join the anti-Comintern were still facing each other pact, as a counterthrust to Britain's along the western frontier across the Argun River following a The Nazis express the belief that series of clashes over the weekthere is no possibility of Italy with end, according to the latest drawing troops from Spain during despatches from the Manchou-

kuo frontier outposts. The Manchoukuo Government is

It is revealed that three Japanese soldiers were killed in the severe madhouse it is certainly the clash near Lupien in Sanho District Soviet invaders, frontier dispatches

> With the arrival of reinforcements, the Soviet forces confronting the

> > LATEST

See Back Page For "Further Late" News

LONDON, Apr. 5. A GIGANTIC evacuation scheme involving the transference of 3,000,000 people in a few days was montioned by Mr. Walter Elliott in the House of Commons debate on the second reading

Mr. Elliott paid a tribute to | ... Million More Shelters The sound of shooting attracted the the Transport authorities for

of the Civil Defence Bill.

The Minister appealed to citizens steel shelters. He is reported to have confessed mothers should go fire, and the rest be accelerated 100 per cent.

London, Apr. 5. The Government is about to place

to remember that whildren and The present rate of distribution will in spite of the defendant's good VLADIVOSTOK, Apr. 5.—The that he is a policemen employed by denger until the initial movement son one shatters will have been all the defendant's good via the same than the same transfer and the same transfer

FROM now onwards, at any hour of the day or night, an ambulance will bring to any London mother's door, within a few minutes, a medical unit consisting of a doctor, midwife and equipment,

This is one result of the L.C.C.'s emergency obstetric service, the so-called "maternity flying squad," which came into operation recently.

London has been divided into four areas for the service, with a rota of three hospitals in each.

.The service will cover four-fifths of London, the remaining fifth being already equipped with the service by private arrangements with University College Hospital and Barts.

BLOOD TRANSFUSION

A special arrangement has been ande for blood transfusion.

A MERICA is so excited. They're all het up 'about the King's all het up 'about the King's made for blood transfusion. vice, a message will go to the nearest of four centres where donors' blood

a new method. Blood will be immediately dis- of the United States, said recently, patched by taxi or ambulance to the mother's home, sterillsed and ready for administration without delay, "The flying squad will have limited use, being confined to grave cases unsuited for immediate transfer to hospital," said the senior medical "The King and Oucen a officer in charge of the service.

"It completes London's maternity was only when I returned to Engactive, which is now the finest of land that I heard talk of America any large city in the world."

AMBULANCE CARD

Every woman who books a bed in any maternity hospital ward in Lonin hospital" at any moment.

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ed on the card. Through one of land and France was never more these she can summon an ambulance to her door in ten minutes. No charge is made for its use.

Out of 100,000 women who have had these cards, only one has died "Things so

of hemorrhage before the baby's

AUSTRALIA'S "VITAL" STATISTICS

Canberra. ...In Australia to-day

One in six has a radio; One in eight has a car; One in ten has a telephone.

Royal Visit Gets U.S. 'Het-up'

visit and can't talk of anything else." That is what Claire Luce, famous has been stored in refrigerators by American screen and stage star, back in London after a four months' tour

> "They pestered me with questions about what they should wear for the King and Queen, what formalities have to be observed, and all that,

"The King and Queen are going to have a wonderful reception. being critical of the advisability of the visit,

"There was not a word of criticlsm in any quarter in America. don is now handed an ambulance All the big political people I met at eard by which she may "put herself parties and elsewhere were wildly enthusiastic.

"American feeling towards Eng-

Miss Luce is glad to be in London [4]

"Things seem more prosperous than in New York although they have bucked up there tremendously in the past year," she said.

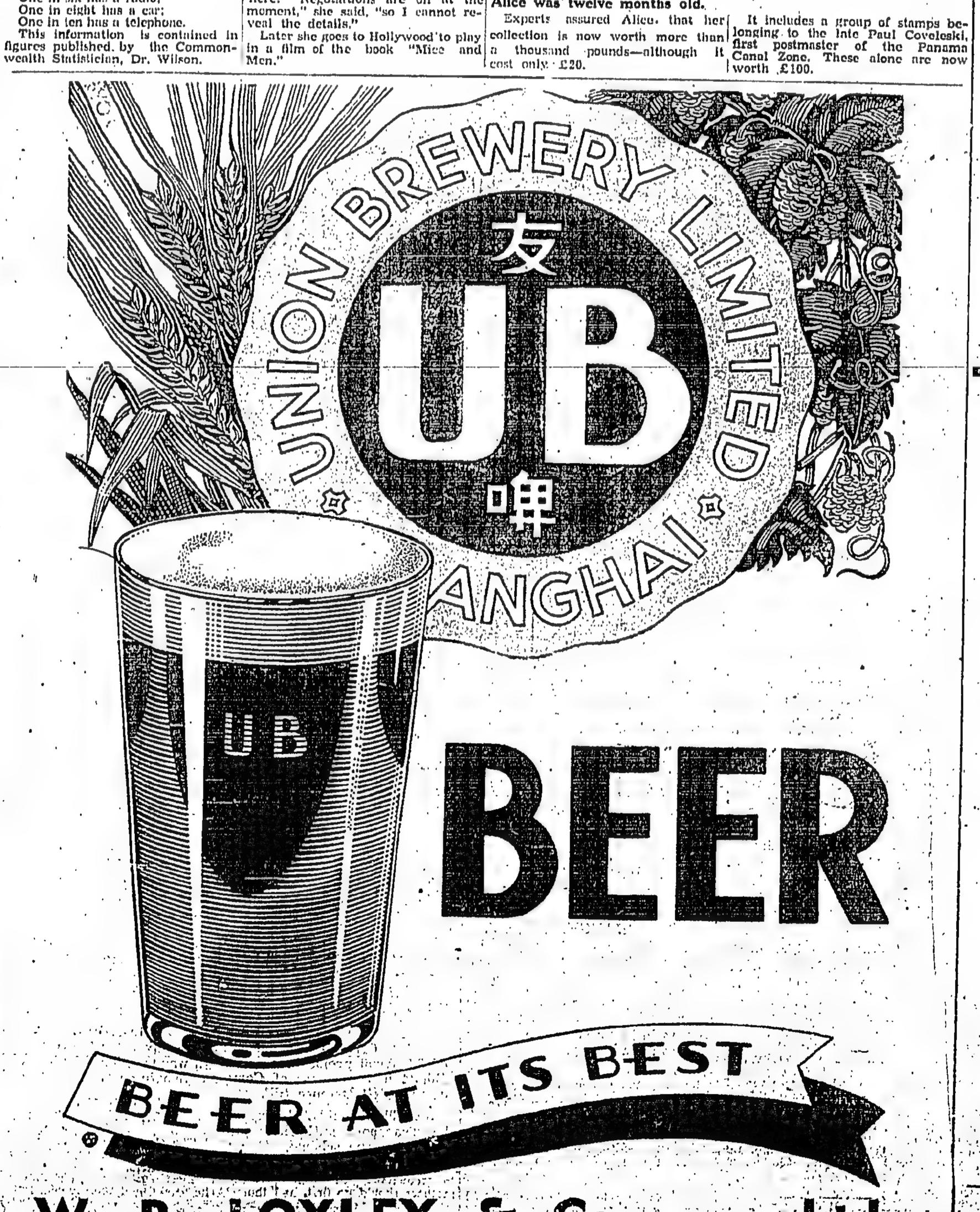
"Roosevelt-is still the strong man of America. I think he will have him retire."



In stately dress, here is Mrytelina-Besosa presiding as Queen of Beauty at the 101st annual Ponce de Leon carnival in San Juan, P. R. Providing protection for the lovely sovereign is the miniature policeman at left, who seems to have been fully won over to intense

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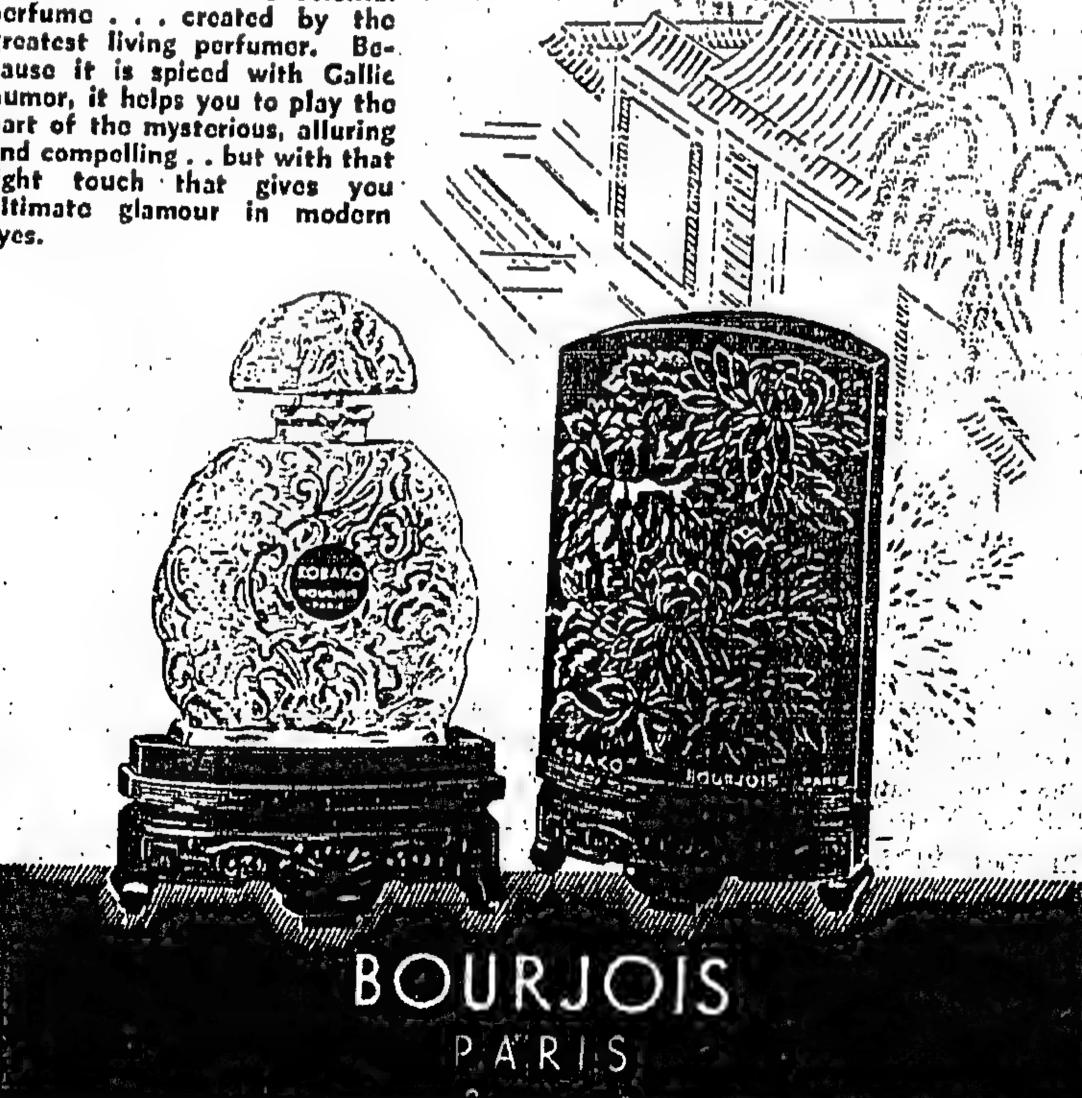
New York. to run for President for the third FIRST prize at the open-air contest for young stamp collectors, held in Central Park, New York, was won by thirteen-year-Miss Luce will probably do a play old Alice Strever-with a collection started by her father when here. "Negotiations are on at the Alice was twelve months old.







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66THE STRANGE DEATH OF ADOLF HITLER?

Poisoned On Eve Of Munich, Says American Book

COPHE Strange Death of Adolf Hitler," a book in which it is asserted that the Fuehrer is dead and that his double, Maximilian Bauer, rules in his place by arrangement with the Nazi chiefs, is startling America.

The book has been published by the long-established New York concern, the Macaulay Company, which asserts that the facts as set out in the book come from an "unimpeachable source."

The vital fact, according to the book, is that Hitler was assassinated on September 29, 1938, at 2.15 a.m.—the night before the Munich Agreement.

Bauer himself is made to tell the actual story of the assassination.

He alleges that poison was put in an omelette which the Fuehrer ate at a dinner attended by Goering, Goebbels, Von Ribbentrop, Hess, and Bauer himself. Hitler, he says, died within a few minutes.

After a dramatic discussion, the heads of the Nazi State agreed that Bauer should take the dead man's place at the Munich conference, having sworn that he would never reveal the impersonation or the death to the world.

"Fuehrer's Place Taken By His Double"

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THE anonymous story tells the history of Bauer's life, of how he was hired by the Nazis as a member of Hitler's bodyguard of doubles and frequently impersonated him at ceremonies the Fuhrer was not inclined to attend himself.

Dispatch New York Corresponsensation.

say: "We predict that the fact Simon received the typescript from disclosed will develop world in-know Bauer personally. terest- unequalled since Mr. Nevertheless, according to their



Countess Johann Heinrich von Bernstorff, American-born wife of the German diplomat who was Ambassador when the United States entered the World War, who regained her American citizenship during a 16-day visit to the United States. She left to rejoin her husband, critically ill in Geneva. She was the former Jennne Luckmeyer of.

Chamberlain's visit to Germany."

The manuscript was obtained, they add, from an unnamed German officer in the Mercantile Marine, who at the Nice office." Simon, necording to the note, re-

The book, writes the Sunday himself, who asked that the book be dangerous by itself. withheld until his death.

In view of "its immense world shall seriously have to ask how far dent, is certain to cause a major importance," however, the publishers one nation can go on insulting andecided to issue it immediately.

. "PANTASTIC". The publishers themselves . From inquiries they learned that

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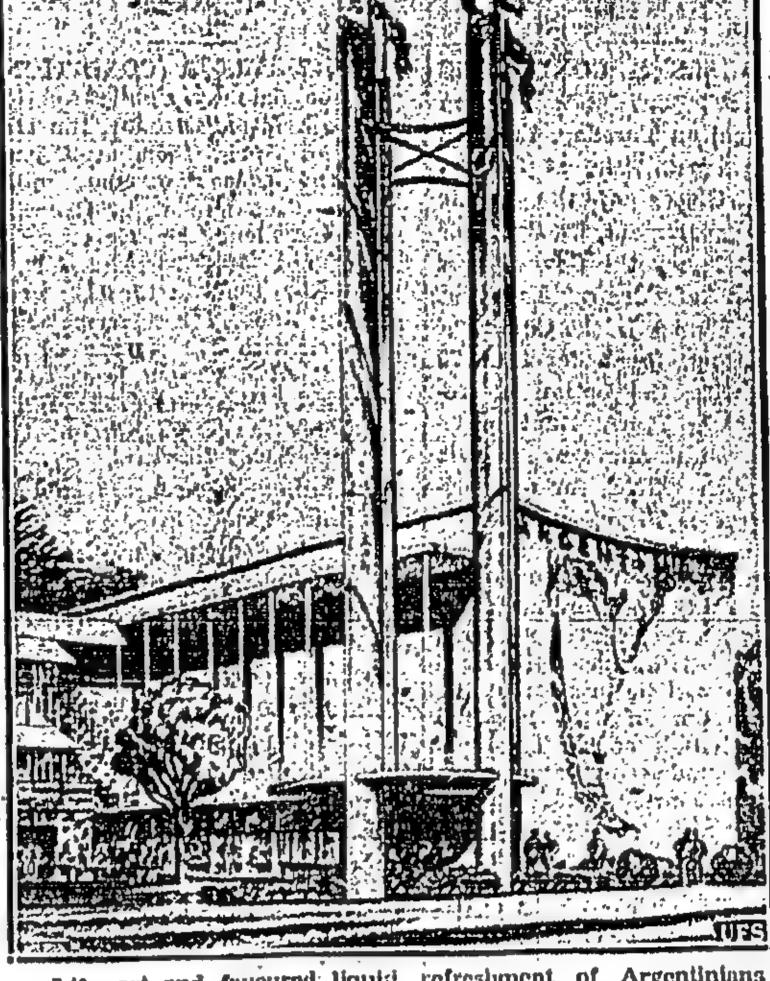
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statement, "the 'investigation shows Hitler never drinks alcohol-have that the sources of the book guaran- been circulated. A DOUBLE DIED tee its authenticity."

Generale. Transctlantique described the tale as "fantastic." "Nobody of the name of Michel to have resulted in the death of a simon has ever been connected with this branch of the C.G.T.." he told facial resemblance to him. the Sunday Dispatch.

-BERLIN SAYS-

had in turn obtained it from a the German Ministry of Propaganda room where a number of "Stalins" "Michel Simon, of the Compagnie was, "It is beneath the dignity of were paraded; he examined them Generale Transatlantique, stationed anyone in the Government to con- all, made his report, and left. trudict the story. "The whole thing is so preposter- was the dictator. . . .

ceived 'the manuscript from Bauer ous that we do not regard it as

other without causing serious troupiece of mischief, I imagine, and will Express Museum here now know turn out to be one of a long list of why their wishes were never realized. disgraceful inventions.

"However, New York, is probably the only city in the world where anyone would take the trouble to publish such nonsense or where it could be believed."

"VERY MUCH ALIVE"

"Hitler positively is Hitler," insisted Captain Fritz Wiedemann, the Fuehrer's former personal adjutant, when he arrived in New York aboard the Hamburg

the Hamburg.

He looked puzzled when questioned about the allegations in the book.

"I saw him two weeks ago. He's very much alive," he declared.

"Perhaps the Hitler you saw was not the right one," said one-reporter.

"We all believe he is the right one," replied Capt. Wiedemann.

1935 STORY.

The idea that Herr Hitler em-

The idea that Herr Hitler employed a "ghost" was first suggested in July 1935 in the Daily Telegraph.

"The use of a double was revealed here," wrote a correspondent from Munich.

"The double, almost indistinguishable from the Fuhrer, was loudly cheered when he appeared at the opening of a new motor road.

Stories, less thoroughly documented, that a "Hitler" has sometimes been seen drinking beer in the famous Munich biergarten—the real

Both Mussolini and Stalin have But an official of the Compagnic been reported as employing doubles.

Senerale. Transatiantique described One of the earlier attempted assassinations of the Duce is alleged

There is, too, the famous story of the heart specialist who was sent to Moscow to see Stalin, dictator of the Official comment on the book from Kremlin. He was shown into a He never knew which of the men

"WISHING" COINS STOLEN.

Pasadena, Cal, A lot of people who threw coins "This publication is a deliberate into the "wishing well" at the Pony

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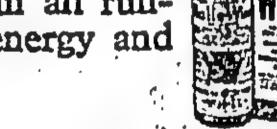
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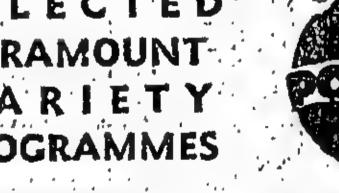
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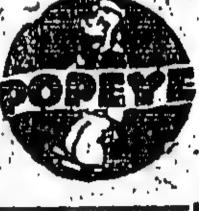
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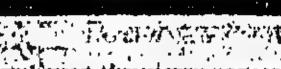
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Examination for Local Clerks

Applicants are informed that those selected to attend examination on 11th April will be notified separately.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the Third Annual Meeting of | & Shareholders will be held at the Head Office, No. 6 Des Voeux Road Central, on Saturday, April 22nd, |2 1939, at 3.00 p.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Board of Directors and the Statement of Accounts for the year ending December 31st, 1938.

The Transfer Register will be closed from April 10th to 22nd, 1939 inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

M. Y. TANG. Chief Manager. Hongkong, April 1, 1939.

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Peak Depot 7.00 to 10.00 a.m. Cafe Wiseman Open as usual. All other departments will be

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Mexican Oil Expropriation

Mexico City, Apr. 5. Seventeen British and American petroleum companies have renewed legal proceedings against expropria- from Hongkong to-day an hour tion of their properties.

The companies requested an in Abourd were 14 passengers, injunction against President Cardenas' cluding Dorls Duke and Jimmy decree of March 18, 1938, and they Cromwell, the tobacco helress and her will carry the fight to the Supreme husband, who visited Hongkong a few Court.—Renter.

PARTICULARS & CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Tuesday, the 11th day of April, 1939, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Ma Tau Chung, in the Colony of Hong Kong, for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewnl at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the KING, for one further term of 75 years.

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Clipper Arrives From Hongkong

San Francisco, Apr. 5.
The Honolulu Clipper landed here ahead of schedule.

Abourd were 14 passengers, inyears ago.-Reuter.

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DK767-The Swan lake. (Waltz) Tschnikowsky. London Philharmonic Orch. Nailn, Interniezzo, (Delibes). DX730-London Again. (Eric Coates) Eric Coates & Sym. Orch.

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REFUGEE MUI-TSAI Alleged Ill-Treatment Of Unregistered Girl

of the Sale by Public Auction Shing-cho, 42-year-old kept woman, to be held on Tuesday, the 11th was charged before Mr. R. Edwards day of April, 1939, at 3 p.m., at the Central Magistracy yesterday not paid any wages, and on April with keeping an unregistered muinot paid any wages, and on April the Offices of the Public tsai, Yuen Yun, aged 12, and with her mother offered defendant \$20 for the public tsai, Yuen Yun, aged 12, and with the mother offered defendant \$20 for the public tsai, Yuen Yun, aged 12, and with the mother offered defendant \$20 for the public tsai, Yuen Yun, aged 12, and with the mother offered defendant \$20 for the public tsai, Yuen Yun, aged 12, and with the mother offered defendant \$20 for the public tsai, Yuen Yun, aged 12, and with the mother offered defendant \$20 for the public tsai, Yuen Yun, aged 12, and with the mother offered defendant \$20 for the public tsai, Yuen Yun, aged 12, and with the mother offered defendant \$20 for the public tsai, Yuen Yun, aged 12, and with the mother offered defendant \$20 for the public tsai, Yuen Yun, aged 12, and with the mother offered defendant \$20 for the public tsai, Yuen Yun, aged 12, and with the mother offered defendant \$20 for the public tsai, Yuen Yun, aged 12, and with the mother offered defendant \$20 for the public tsai, Yuen Yun, aged 12, and with the mother offered defendant the public tsai, Yuen Yun, aged 12, and with the mother offered defendant the public tsai, Yuen Yun, aged 12, and with the public tsai, Yuen Yun, aged 12, and with the public tsai, Yuen Yun, aged 12, and with the public tsai, Yuen Yun, aged 12, and with the public tsai, Yuen Yun, aged 12, and with the public tsai, Yuen Yun, aged 12, and with the public tsai, Yuen Yun, aged 12, and with the public tsai, Yuen Yun, aged 12, and Yun, aged 13, and Yuen Yun, aged 14, and Yun, aged 15, Works Department, by Order of ill-treating and assaulting her on the return of I March 21 at 55 Sal Street, second was refused.

years, with the option of re-by her mother as security for a loan morrow for the translation of certain of \$70. The girl and defendant came morrow for the translation of certain to Hongkong on June 8 as refugees. fixed by the Surveyor of His A few days ago the girl's mother the girl.

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Kowloon Inland Lot No. 1136.	Junction of Pak Tai St. & Mr Tau Kok Boad, Mr Tau Kok Boad, Mr Tau Kok.	feet	feet p	fael F SE BTJ.	feet	About 8,439	95\$	\$6,323

visited her daughter and found she had a number of bruises on the left arm as well as in the region of the left eye. It appeared that the girl had been beaten with a piece of fire-

event is a classic and we shall cer-The girl dld the work of a mui-tsai, being engaged in sweeping the floor and cleansing the spittoons. She was her mother offered defendant \$20 for the return of her daughter but this

The girl gave evidence and said

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The chemical industry expects lower profits for the second-quarter. The Southern Pacific Railroad Company during February suffered a loss of \$2,000,000. The American Tobacco Company's first-quarter sales were substantially above those of last year. The first-quarter increase in telephones by the American Telephone Company is the second highest in eight years. The statistical position of the oil industry has improved. The first cut in gasolene inventory in four months has been recorded and there has been a slight curtailment in the output of crude oil. Dow-Jones estimates the first-quarter profit of Du Pont de Nemours at \$1.47 per share; Union Carbide \$0.60 and Monsanto Chemical \$1.00.

The market declined on reports of the defeat of the Bankhead Bill and that an export subsidy is likely.

LONDON AVERAGES: 'APRIL 5 98.5 Industrial Average 97.2

Rails Average 64.8 These averages are based on 100 as of December 31, 1934. EASTERTIDE HOLIDAYS

All New York and Chicago markets will remain closed on April 7th! The Winnipeg market will also be closed. In London, the markets will remain closed from April 7th, to April 11th., inclusive.

Our Offices will be opened on Friday, Saturday and Monday.

RACING PROSPECTS AT EASTER MEET

(By "Capt. Foster")

(Continued from Page 8.)

Top Weight

-Given-To-

Red Feather

and the last three quarters were 1.26 flat. Red Feather won the Ladies

Purse over a journey of 7 furlongs 49 yards in 1.45% and the last six

furlongs were negotiated in 1.28%. It must be borne in mind that Mrs.

Dunbar's pony was carrying 161 lbs.

Handicap over a mile was won by

Lilliber in 1.58%, but the last six

furlongs were clocked in 1.28% and

GIN DRINKERS'

Taking everything in the balance, Red Feather should therefore win.

the mare was carrying 166 lbs.

interesting figures.

Good Race In Deep old brigade and the mare has been Bay Stakes asked to concede 3 lbs. to the champion sub-griffin, Marksman. The

The Deep Bay Stakes is another tainly see a good fight. Among the interesting event for China ponies, old timers, Bistre, I am afraid, will subscription griffins, over a mile, for have to be out of the reckoning as he has no love for a soft going and Wild On paper Kut Cheung should have Cat is nicely weighted at 142 lbs. no difficulty in making his acquain-But the genet appears to be off colour, tance with the judges and further-Of the new generation Marksman more some confidence can be placed with that astute jockey, Mr. Needa, in this moke, for it will be piloted in the saddle will be hard to beat by Mr. G. Treverton. Fairchild, I Ma Tau Chung, in the Colony of Hong, for a term of 75 Hong Kong, for a term of 75 Canton when she was six years old the S.C.A., the Hong Kong, for a term of 75 Canton when she was six years old the S.C.A. The Hong Kong, for a term of 75 Canton when she was six years old the S.C.A. The Hong Kong, for a term of 75 Canton when she was six years old the S.C.A. The Hong Kong, for a term of 75 Canton when she was six years old the S.C.A. The Hong Kong, for a term of 75 Canton when she was six years old the S.C.A. The Hong Kong, for a term of 75 Canton when she was six years old the S.C.A. The Hong Kong, for a term of 75 Canton when she was six years old the S.C.A. The Hong Kong, for a term of 75 Canton when she was six years old the S.C.A. The Hong Kong, for a term of 75 Canton when she was six years old the S.C.A. The Hong Kong, for a term of 75 Canton when she was six years old the S.C.A. The Hong Kong, for a term of 75 Canton when she was six years old the S.C.A. The Hong Kong, for a term of 75 Canton when she was six years old the S.C.A. The Hong Kong, for a term of 75 Canton when she was six years old the S.C.A. The Hong Kong, for a term of 75 Canton when she was six years old the S.C.A. The Hong Kong, for a term of 75 Canton when she was six years old the S.C.A. The Hong Kong, for a term of 75 Canton when she was six years old the S.C.A. The Hong Kong, for a term of 75 Canton when she was six years old the S.C.A. The Hong Kong, for a term of 75 Canton when she was six years old the S.C.A. The Hong Kong, for a term of 75 Canton when she was six years old the S.C.A. The Hong Kong, for a term of 75 Canton when she was six years old the S.C.A. The Hong Kong, for a term of 75 Canton when she was six years old the S.C.A. The Hong Kong, for a term of 75 Canton when she was six years old the S.C.A. The Hong Kong, for a term of 75 Canton when she was six years old the S.C.A. The Hong Kong, for a term of 75 Canton when the S.C.A. The Hong Kong, for a term of 75 Canton when the S.C.A. The Hong Kong, for a term of 75 Canto be ridden by Mr. Andrew Johnstone, my candid opinion this event will be who is the son of the late public idol, a problem to spot the winner and Mr. John Johnstone (a former taipan of Messrs Jardine Matheson & the daily double.

Co.) and all those fold riders in the

stand" will no doubt agree with me UNKNOWN that "J. J." was one of the finest jockeys along the China coast ports. However, the young lad has a pair of good hands and a fine seat and I am sure that it will not take him a long time to get used to the wee China MAY START

In the Roschill Stakes for Australian subscription ponies of this season which have not won more than \$999. there-ure four-candidates, that have not as yet faced the start and they are A Roaring Time, Baffin Bay. Murrumbidgee and Winfred. All of them have done exceptionally well in course of preparation for the Annual The first leg of the daily double is on the Hongham Bay Handicap (first section) for "B" class China ponies over a mile and we have a fine list to spot the winner. Red Feather is at the top of the tree with 'the limit load and below him we have limit load and below him we have winner of this event is among this lot. Eve of Harvest and Rob Roy on the I like A Roaring Time. Among those same level, the latter two receiving that have already faced the start and only 3 lbs. It is hard to gauge the nave not won, African Dlamond will running of these three runners, but a close study of their racing times at the Annual Carnival reveals some A. W. Raymond. I understand that In the Happy Valley Spring Handl- ride. Amber II who won the Hobart cap which was a distance run from Plate at Fanling, should receive some the two mile post, once round and support in the parl-mutuel departin, Rob Roy annexed this event in ment, but I do not expect the mare
2.07%, the last mile being in 1.55% to win.

Racing Boy Has Great Chance

against Rob Roy's 152 lbs. and if we apply the rule of three, Red Feather the penultimato event, the Taiwan is by for the better racer. The adjustment of the poundage shows that six furlongs and should the going be Red Feather is only three . pounds soft, the old fighter has a golden better animal which I do not agree, opportunity to lead the procession. Eve of Harvest captured the Griffins Good Morning, I believe, will be a Consolation Stakes over a mile in menace. Tempest Bay is not bad, 1.59% with the greatest of ease and but he has too much lead to carry. the inst three quarters were covered Whalsey is nicely weighted and the in . 1.28%. The Griffins Spring distance is to his liking.

Old Friends May Come Out Here

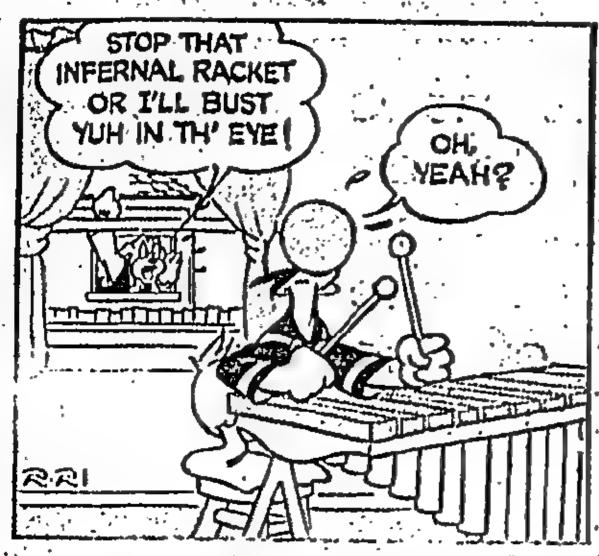
Conquering Time, the winner of the Lusitano Cup, is dongerous. The last event, the Hongham Bay Handicap (second section) for China ponies, will bring out a good few of our old friends among the "B" raters and the run is over the mile course. BAY STAKES

In perusing the list of 14 ponies which Mr. Alves has assigned to this section, I found Soldier of Britain at the bottom of the ladder with only The Gin Drinkers Bay Stakes for non-winning China ponies, subscription griffins at inectings of the Hong-kong Jockey Club, will no doubt prove an interesting event because it is a scramble from the 1½ mile post and anything may happen. A lot, of course, depends upon a good start. Thanksgiving Day won a good start. Thanksgiving Day won a good half mile at Fanling not long ago, but on Saturday he is up against a better class such as Guinness Time, Tiny Jober. Boolat Bay; Potentate and Tim. Wilber and Wild Hear. Wilber Tamps Bay are on the same lavel Tim. Wilber and Wild Hear. Wilber Tampa Bay are on the same level has been knocking at the door for a with only 161 lbs. to carry, the last long while " and he has, " a operting named having a pull of over a stone chance to present his card first. . Ingainst Oak Bay.

By Walt

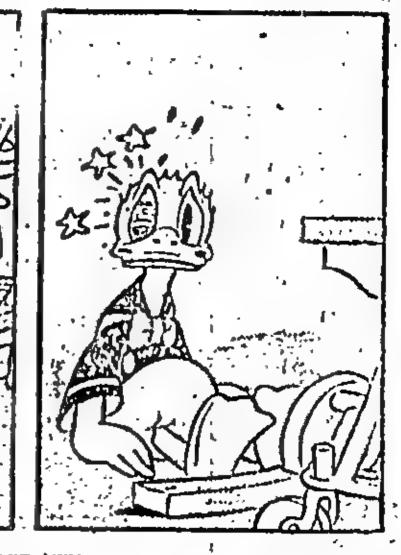
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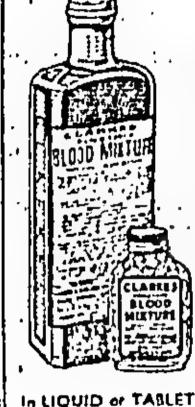
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Q.: What tests are made in this country in similar circumstances?

i.: The police call a doctor, who can get hold of. . examines the suspect's eyes, complexion and gait. He then makes him close his eyes, put his feet together and stand erect. Finally he makes him repeat sentences containing words that are hard to enunciate.

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A. Look Through The "Telegraph"

50 YEARS AGO "One who has been there" sends us gruesome account of life inside the

all cases. The doctors claim that | pondent's statements, ere accurate. ate application of drastic remedies; in second. any case an independent investigation would probably produce beneficial resulta. "One who has been there" says compulsory tests should be in- | that confinement in our model prison troduced here have been op- is simply equivalent to killing by a drai. slow process of gradual starvation. The unfortunate prisoners are scarcely Frim! able to keep body and soul tegether, and ravenously dovour the filth and even the most decomposed fold they

35 YEARS AGO

Apr. 6, 1914. has been on an extended trip in North Oldham (Tenor) with Orchestra; Chinn, returned to the colony on Saturday on the s.s. Liang-chow, Des- The Mounties (film 'Rose-Marie') pite the serious accident which befell Nelson, Eddy (Baritone) with him in which he sustained a broken Orchestra; The Vagabond Kingleg, we learn that he has benefited by Selection ... Drury Lane Theatre

Another new danger to the children You and Indian Love Coll ... Richard of Kowloon residents has arisen since Tauber (Tenor) with Grand Syma mows has been opened, on that side of the water, and that is in the con- phony Orchestra (Sung in German). Orchestra; Dance -Orchestro--Mis-1 verting of Nathan Road into a race track ever which galloping ponies are driven to the fullest extent by incom- Theatre Orchestra with Dorothy Comedian-I Blew A Little Blast On potent and inexperienced riders.

The appearance of a tigor on the and The Paramount Theatre Orches-Peak and in that district not having tra. London, with Al Bollington at by a tale of the animal having been Opera....Ivor Novello, Dorothy Till You-Fox-Trot....Tommy Tuckseen on the forestry road above Aber- Dickson and Olive Gilbert accomp. er and His Orchestra with Yeal were out walking on this read, beingOlive Gilbert (Contraite) accomp. Sing') and Deep Shadows (Meskill-followed by Mrs. Taylor's chair and by the Drury Lane Theatre Orches- White)....Frances Langford with 10' YEARS, AGO.

After the panic aroused by the col- cher, Swing"-Selection and "Sally, necome, himself on the Gultar; 16.03b/04a lapse of the Wuhan defence, Hankow cher, Swing -Selection and Sally, recome, himself on the Gultar; to-day is remarkably, peaceful The Irene and Mary -Selection ... An Mandoline Orchestra-Waltz Memmajor portion, of the Wuhan troops ton and The Paramount Theatre ries ... Troise and His Mandoliers are retreating directly to Tealtien and Orchestra with Al Bollington at the with Vocal by Don Carine; Comerina May 67-74/67% 67%/67% are making for Yunnan. The streets are gay with bunting in welcome to Marshal Chiang, Khi-shek, who is expected to reach Hankow at one, belock in the morning.

Apr. 0, 1929.

5 YEARS AGO

strongth. Mandel Brothers, a leading department store here; have discon-60 1/2/60 1/2 tinued purchasing German merchandise 61 1/8/61 1/4 on account of "customer resistance."

Mile. Maryse Hilts, the noted French

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> 12-12.20 p.m. Relay of Service of Intercession from St. John's Cathe-

12.30 Compositions of Rudolph

-Sympathy (film 'Firefly')....Richard Tauber (Tenor) with Orchestra: Love Everlasting....Ina Souez (Soprano) with Orchestra; Allah's Holiday The Six Swingers directed by George Scott Wood; Regimental Mr. (Inter Sir Robert) ho Tung, who Song ("The White Eagle")....Derek Orchestra cond. by Charles Prentice: Rose Marie-O Rose Marie I Love

> 1 Time and Weather. Dickson and Olive Gilbert, Medley Of Paso-Dobles....Anton

been reported for about a week past the Organ; "Careless Rapture" (Ivor interest in the mysterious animal Novello); Studio Scene—A bit of somewhat dropped, only to be revived Organ; "Careless Rapture" (Ivor somewhat dropped, only to be revived Organ; "Careless Rapture" (Ivor somewhat dropped, only to be revived Organ; "Careless Rapture" (Ivor somewhat dropped, only to be revived Organ; "Careless Rapture" (Ivor somewhat dropped, only to be revived Organ; "Careless Rapture" (Ivor somewhat dropped, only to be revived Organ; "Careless Rapture" (Ivor somewhat dropped, only to be revived Organ; "Careless Rapture" (Ivor somewhat dropped, only to be revived Organ; "Careless Rapture" (Ivor somewhat dropped, only to be revived Organ; "Careless Rapture" (Ivor somewhat dropped, only to be revived Organ; "Careless Rapture" (Ivor somewhat dropped, only to be revived Organ; "Careless Rapture" (Ivor somewhat dropped, only to be revived Organ; "Careless Rapture" (Ivor somewhat dropped, only to be revived Organ; "Careless Rapture" (Ivor somewhat dropped, only to be revived Organ; "Careless Rapture") (Ivor somewhat dropped, only to be revived Organ; "Careless Rapture") (Ivor somewhat dropped, only to be revived Organ; "Careless Rapture") (Ivor somewhat dropped, only to be revived Organ; "Careless Rapture") (Ivor somewhat dropped, only to be revived Organ; "Careless Rapture") (Ivor somewhat dropped, only to be revived Organ; "Careless Rapture") (Ivor somewhat dropped, only to be revived Organ; "Careless Rapture") (Ivor somewhat dropped, only to be revived Organ; "Careless Rapture") (Ivor somewhat dropped, only to be revived Organ; "Careless Rapture") (Ivor somewhat dropped, only to be revived Organ; "Careless Rapture") (Ivor somewhat dropped, only to be revived Organ; "Careless Rapture") (Ivor somewhat dropped, only to be revived Organ; "Careless Rapture") (Ivor somewhat dropped, only to be revived Organ; "Careless Rapture") (Ivor somewhat dropped, only to be revived Organ; "Careless Rapture") (Ivor somewhat dropped, organ; "Carel deen. On Saturday, Commander and by the Drury Lane Theatre Orches-Mrs. Basil Taylor and Mr. P. S. Dixon tra; Why Is There Ever Good-Bye! coolies, when suddenly the coolies tra: Shirley Temple Memories.... Victor Young and His Orchestra; Anion and The Paramount Theatre Yodler-Sitting In A Jall House Ofchestra with Al Bollington at the (Torrani) and Dan, Dan. The Yodel-Organ. Vocal Refrain; "Swing Tea- ling Man (Torrani)...: Harry Torrani

> 1.30 Reuter and Rugby Press, Weather and Announcements. 1.40 Dance Music and Variety.

Cinema Organ—Alexander's Ragtime Bund-Film Medley ... Llove Thomas at the Mighty Organ in The The boycott of German goods in the Granada Cinema, Tooting, London; United States appears to be gathering Plano—Rush Rour (Williamson) and Japan to France, covering the distance between the northern port and Hongkong in just over eight hours.

The Farewell Parede to Colonel I. G. aviatrix, arrived in Hongkong just be- Rivd. p.s.o., o.v.c., Communiant. fore six o'clock last evening from H.R.V.D.C. will be held at Corps Head-Nanking on her return journey from greaters on Tuesday, April 17, 1934.

Orchestra—Tuttl Fruttl—Fox-Trot and Jam On Toast-Fox-Trot.... Gene Krupa and His Orchestra; Dance Orchestra-Never Break A Promise-Waltz and Summer's End-Slow Fox-Trot....Mantovani and

His Orchestra with Vocal Chorus; Dance Orchestra-I'va Got A Poctor'-Of Dreams-Fox-Trot (film 'Sing, you Sinners') and Good-N.gn, Little Skipper—Fox-Trot....Br.an Lawrance and His Orchestra with Chorus; Dance Orchestra-Show Boat Shuffle-Fox-Trot

Duka Ellington and His Orchestra. 2.15 Close Down. 6 Studio-Children's Hour. .7 Closing Local Stock Quotations.

7.02 A Variety Programme with Harry Torrani, Treise and His Mandollers, George Formby, Frances Langford and Tommy Tucker's Orchestra.

Orchestra W. Organ-Toy . Land Medley....Anton and The Paramount Theatre Orchestra with Reginald Foort at the Organ; Vocal-Long Ago and For Away (film Three Cheers for Love') ... Frances Langford with Victor Young and His 1.03 Anton and The Paramount Victor Young and His Orchestra; souri Waltz (Shannon and Eppel).... My Whistle (Formby) and In My Little Snapshot Album (film 'I See Ire')....Grorge Formby and His Ukulele with Orchestra; Dance Orchestra-Yes, There A'n't No. Moonlight—Fox-Trot and I Hadn't Anyone Refrain: Vocal-When Did You. Leave Heaven? (film 'Sing, Baby,

> .-Trailing Around In A Trailer (Gifford and Cliff) and Said The Little Brown Hen (Gifford, Cliff, Formby) George Formby and His Ukulele with Orchestra: Dance Orchestra-Silver On The Sage-Fex-Trot (film. 'The Texans') and There's A Brand New Picture In My Picture Frame-Fox-Trot....Tommy Tucker and His Orchestra with Vocal Refrain.

8 Time, Weather and Announce-8.03 B.B.C. Recording-Monsleur

Adapted for Broadcasting from Booth Tarkington's novel and the light opera libretto by Frederick Lonsdale, by Gordon McConnel. Lyrics by Adrian Ross. Music by Andre Messager. Produced by Gorden McConnel and Rex Haworth, 9.15 London Relay-The News.

930 London Relay-World Affairs. By H. Wickham Steed. 9.45 London Relay-Sports News and Market Notes. 9.50 Patricia Rossborough at the

Snow White and The Seven Dwarfs -Selection (Morey and Churchill); Sailing Along-Selection; Head Over Heels-Selection.

10 London Relay—Domino.

A radio play by R. P. Hughes.
Characters: Big Joe; Nellie; Alf. her husband: Edwards; Archie; Machherson: Miss Machherson: 1st Workman; 2nd Workman; The scene is laid in a steelworks, and in a house near-by; Produced by Edward

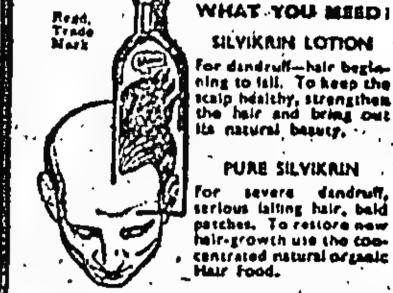
10.35. Dance Music. Fox-Trots-Smile and Sing Your Cares Away and I'm Singing A Song For The Old Folks... The Organ, The Dance Band and Me (Piano); Fox-Trots-Laugh and Call It Love (film 'Sing, you Sinners') and On The Dumby Road To Love, ... Teddy Wilson and His Orchestra with Vocal by Nan. Wynn; Fox-Trois-Day. After Day and There's A New Apple Tree ... Jock, Hylton and His Orchestra with Vocal Refrain; Fox-Trots Georgia's Gotta Moon and Rhythm in The Alphabet. .. The Six Swing-sers directed by George Scott Wood with Vocal Chorus, and the

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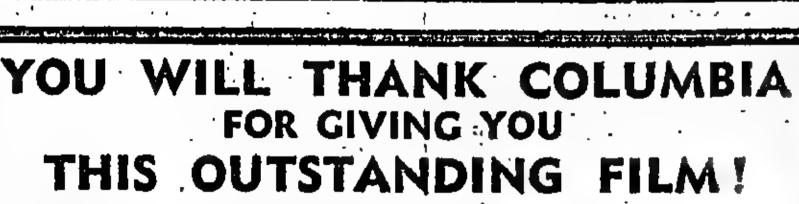


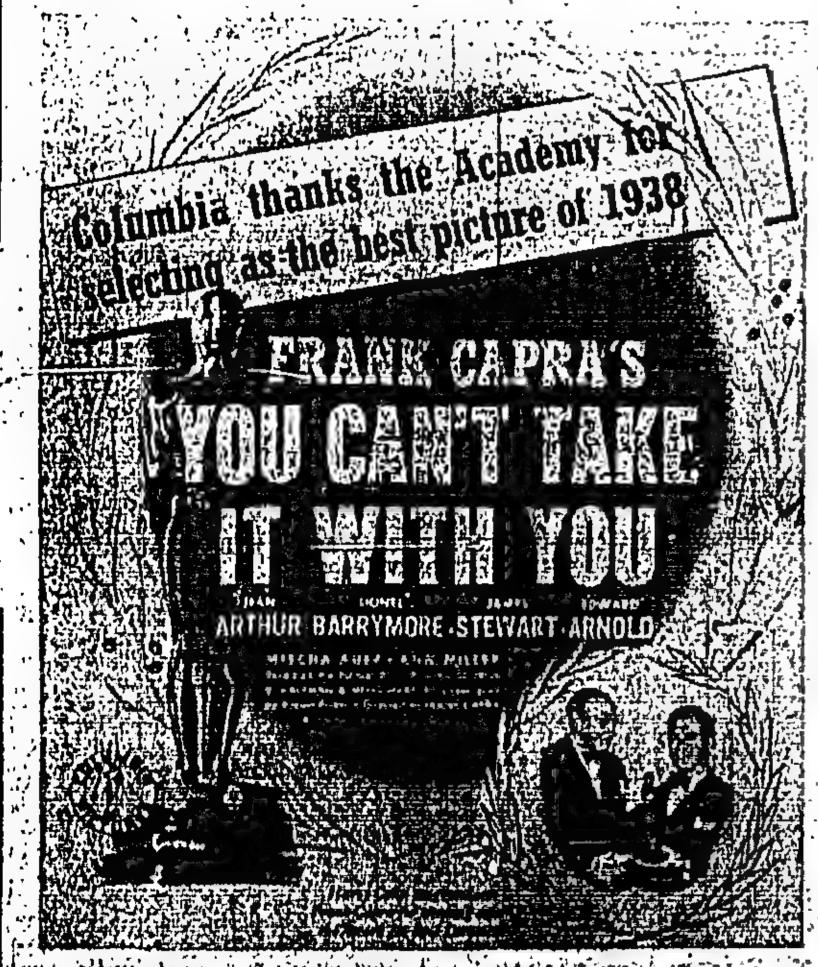
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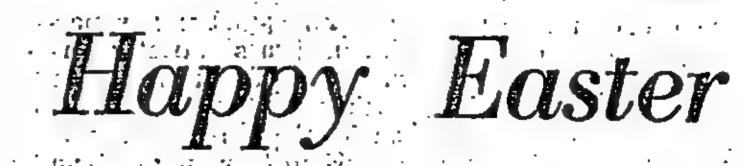




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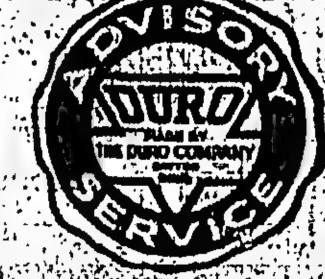
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Britain And Portugal

the Spanish Civil War in its early stages was a slight estrangement of view between Britain, deliberately detached from the listen-in to conversations; some- the waitresses are foreign girls, struggle, and Portugal, whom a times they join in. contest waged just the other side of her sole land frontiers seemed to affect more intimately. The unfortunate possibilities of any seriwas a renewal with fresh bonds of the old Anglo-Portuguese friendship. -- It-is-now-12-months-since-a languages). British mission drawn from all three fighting services went to Lisbon to survey with Portuguese representatives common problems of strategy and supply; so thorough were its discussions and so complex the practical difficulties that it was make suggestions to the Minister only at the end of the year that the of Education. members finally returned. The mission certainly enhanced the ties of sentiment which united Britain and her oldest ally. Apart from the practical work accomplished, it paved the way for an agreeable cultural interchange.

Well-wishers in both countries have created in the past few months with the support of the British Council a British Institute in Lisbon and an Anglo-Portuguese Society in London. It is under the auspices of the latter that Londoners are now being privileged to hear lectures on Portugal and a concert in which Portuguese artists of the standing of Madame Suggia will take part. It is certainly time that two peoples of proud and fertile literary traditions came to know one another more familiarly. Portugal has already shown herself appreciative of the new stimulus given three years foreign diplomats live, has two ago to English studies at Coimbra, main streets of shops, a few the ancient University at which her poverty-stricken hotels, a collec-Prime Minister, Dr. Salazar, once buildings, a tiny House of Parliaheld a chair. Britain, where Portu- ment and two ramshackle guese studies are as yet more wooden cinemas. Each has only hotoured by individual scholars one projector, so there is a long than widespread among the cultured classes, has an excellent oppor-

has tentatively commissioned M. pop, pen-muts, oranges and dates. Hubert Pierlot to form a new As the lower halves of their Cabinet.-United Press.

EUROPE'S CRAZIEST COUNTRY

Albania is in the news and rumours speak of an Italian invasion. Here you will read of the strange customs of the country over which King Zog rules

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trousers or shoes. strange things like that.

> It has no radio station or rail- shocked delight way, yet modern air services as censored operate daily between important scenes flicker centres. There is no running on the screen. They always water: every drop has to be give the celebrated Dietrich legs brought in petrol cans from wells a hearty clap. outside the town.

an Italian university.

▲ MODERN girls' school with showers and ly as to be almost separate Oriental style.

The girls themselves choose monitors who dictate punishments, govern the school, and

Zog has banned veils, but Moslem priests frown on bare legs-so the girls play basketball under a blazing sun in long black stockings and voluminous frocks. To "protect them from men," the girls are made to take their daily walk along specially deserted routes.

Sometimes gambling is permitted, sometimes strictly forbidden. It all depends on the Moslem feast of Ramadan. Then the ban is lifted to compensate for the fast. Every night for a month tombolas are held in cafes all over the country. Sturdy mountain-dwellers pour into the towns and villages to risk their hard-earned leks, getting wildly excited as the winning numbers aro, drawn from a bag.

TIRANA, where Government officials and bored tion of new brick Government pause between reels. Sometimes the operator gets the reels mixed up, but nobody, seems to mind. tunity of redressing past ignorance. New of the audience can read the Albanian sub-title projected

underneath the screen. During the intervals boys BRUSSELS, Apr. 5.—King Leopold | come round selling bottles of bodies are invisible, the manage-

cigarette, and he will shake Sometimes films banned by SEE THE CHAMPION BEFORE his head and take it. If other countries are shown, for non-smoker, he somebody objects. Albanirefuse. ans strictly

with brought up with regard to women, gasp in

Albania's most hated man is Durazzo has a magnificent Abdurrahman Krosi, Zog's rightharbour which is always empty, hand man. Nobody seems to of Inspector and Mrs. W. A. heavy carts slowly through Hundreds have sworn to kill cobbled city streets, yet power- him. As he sits in the Kursual mud country roads. Inside may mountain fighters are ready albe a farmer in native dress and ways to defend their dreaded his well-groomed son back from master. In spite of hate, every- ments, which they command in Five hundred years earlier on body grovels before him, for it natty uniforms. A year or so the same day another great Al-From London you can tele- is said that Krosi's friends pros- ago they went to America to banian leader was married phone every European country per and his enemies die. Every buy new clothes, for in Tirana Skenderberg, whose name is still

Slavia. But the inland service lish pubs and clubs. All day is the simplest in the world. You men sit at the tables, Sipping they are not popular in Albania. death. just pick up the receiver and ask tiny cups of thick Turkish coffee A MONG the unforceseen results of for Mr. So-and-So. If he's not and discussing what news the at home you can be put through censor allows them to hear. to the house he's visiting, for Their wives never go with them, the two operators know every for in Albania a woman's place number by heart. Usually they is very much at home. Even

recognised in both countries, and because all lessons must be is received with open arms, and the happy outcome, long before copied down and then learnt payment is invariably refused. Santos, in Brazil, at that time, was a copied down and then learnt payment is invariably refused. Sind of Eldorido, and the coffee There are no text-books in the Sometimes, in the most desolate "boom" had filled many pockets with about him. Albanian languages (the Gheg parts, the host will offer a gold. and Tosk dialects differ so great- traveller, his wife in true

was considered worth educating. barber's shop, where they spend the body. hours being shaved, curled and He was exceptionally handsome in massaged.

> for the average Albanian has a white teeth when once he smiled to a hard time wresting a living passing friend. His clothes were from the barren soil, with little perfect, not because they were made in London, but because there are fun now that feuds have been good tailors elsewhere. banned. Moreover, the country, heavily and ever-increasingly indebted to Italy, is riddled with Three splendid dlamonds shot gleams graft and corruption.

GRIN AND BEAR IT

At the Queen Mary Hospital, for Albania has no merchant know who he is, but everybody six sisters. While their brother on the finances of a poor little Jacqueline Mavis, only daughter fleet or navy. Buffaloes drag hates him, except the King rarely ventures out for fear of country like ours." vendetta killing, they go where they like. The Albanian holds Zog chose for his wedding to ful modern cars dash along dried garden, soldiers and tough that no woman, not even a king's Countess Geraldine Apponyisister, is worth a bullet.

except Albania. No cable crosses day a new atrocity story about fashionable things cannot be revered throughout this tiny bought. When they returned Balkan country. Even to day from America in the Queen Mary mountains to Greece or Yugo- Cafes take the place of Eng- they had 90 pairs of shoes with them. Extravagant and proud, in mourning for this hero's

"How can we expect our people to economise when the King's this rocky corner of the Balkans. own sisters show such a bad example?" an earnest young Cabinet Minister of the new

I IVING in state with generation asked me. "Six ex-Zog are three of his travagant women are a big drain

With his usual cleverness, April 27 last year—a day They have their own regi- memorable in Albanian history. many Albanians still wear the Xhurdin, a thick black jacket,

Thus does time stand still in

Geoffrey Lucy

mostly from Hungary, Rumania and Austria.

THE mountain-dwellers The millionaire was drinking stone blazed on the little finger of his are tough, hospitable him. There was nothing unusual in looked out of place on an Englishous coolness were, however, speedily sanatorium wastes hours daily and hard working. A traveller that, for in those days everyone man, but, they did nothing to detract

> The lowlanders are lazy, cun- Casino. Before him the silver bottle opposite sex. The school is run by foreign ning, avaricious, effeminate and man drank the pale gold liquid withinto power no Albanian woman greatest pleasures is to visit the were above such minor delights of

> > a typical South American fashion. Dark, warm skin and glowing black Zog is always preaching thrift, eyes contrasted strongly with flashing

> > > He were no more jewellery than was common in Santos at the time of coloured fire from the snowy whiteness of his shirt. One amazing

> > > > By Lichty

"That is Senhor Roberto Moura, the But this particular drinker of coffee millionaire," said the waiter. champagne attracted my attention. I had heard of him, his wealth, his He was sitting alone at a table in the generosity—and his success with the

> A few nights later I happened to sit at the same table and this-time the millionaire sat beside me because the place was busy. He spoke a few words of polite conventionality, and then became more friendly. During the evening an attendant brought him a note. The millionaire glanced at it, frowned, looked rather puzzled, and then handed me the note. To my great surprise, he said-"Would you mind reading that?"

I looked at the paper. Feminine writing said that she "would meet him as usual to-morrow." It was signed "Juanita." I was about to hand it back when the millionnire said, "Will you read it aloud; please?" did so.

I began to feel a certain contempt for the man. Why should he show me the letter if not to show me what a successful man he was. I felt that he was full of a childish vanity. Some nights later he approached

"I wonder if you will do me a great favour?" he said. "But before I ask let me say that I feel I owe you an explanation. But, first of all, will you write a few words for me?"

Rather puzzled, I took the paper he offered and wrote down the words he dictated. It was a small note making an appointment with a lady friend. By this time I was both puzzled and annoyed, and no doubt my feelings. showed on my face.

Then the millionaire began, to

"Listen, my friend." I have asked you to do this for me because I know you are discreet and I can trust you. How do I know? Because I know fires. I am a millionaire because I know faces.

"I am the son of a poor backwoodsman. My father and mother, lived in a mud and wattle house most of their days. I myself was reared in one, I had none of the advantages of an expensive education, but I made myself rich. I dld so because-I learned to know faces and read men's minds. And so, to-day, I, who was born in a hut, can live in a palace. All, as I say, because I learned to know faces.

"I asked you to read me that note the other night, and to write this one to-night for two reasons." One, because I trust you and know you will and be discreet. The other reason, my friend, is this—I cannot write, or 12 rend. I never went to school."



"That Mrs. Bascomb called she said to drop her divorce porceedings and make her a murder-trial estimate!"

WIDER POWERS FOR PRESIDENT IN EMERGENCIES

WASHINGTON, Apr. 5.

Iraq Regret

Expressed

Murder Of British

Consul At Mosul

THE GOVERNMENT'S pro-

to death by an Iraqi crowd of

mourners following the an-

Mr. Neville Chamberlain also ex-

pressed the House's deep sympathy

over the death of King Ghazi (in

connection with which flags were

flown at half-mast on all public

Mr. Chamberlain said there was

responsible for King Ghazi's death.

formed the British Charge d'Affaires

I would be passed by the Iraq Parlia-

Accidental

passengers who were in the car at

Baby Dies In

Q. M. Hospital

The death occurred in the Queen

Mary last night of Jacqueline Mavis,

the 31/2-year-old daughter of Inspec-tor W. A. Russel, of the Police

daughter, and had two clder brothers.

The child was admitted to hospital

The funeral will pass the Monument

Italian

Troop

Movements

The Quay d'Orsay confirms that

Murshal Petala made a demarche at

Burgos late yesterday asking for

clarification of the recent embarka-

tion of Italian troops at Cadiz, but

The Quai d'Orsay has no informa-

tion whether London has made a

Commons Statement

AMNESTY EXPECTED

Paris, Apr. 5.

similar demarche-United Press.

Paris, Apr. 5.

Department, and Mrs. Russel.

at 5 o'clock this afternoon.

Spain

Paris.

tion,-Reuter.

suffering from injuries.-Reuter.

Baghdad, Apr. 5.

ment's property .- Reuter.

eriminal act."

buildings in London to-day).

LONDON, Apr. 5.

OPENING THE Senate Foreign Relations Committee's hearings on the Neutrality Law amendment proposals, Mr. Henry Stimson urged the United States to use economic resources to halt the dictatorships' aggressions.

He asserted that the United States was facing a critical situation, in which the three Totalitarian states have torn up all codes of international conduct....

"Caucasian civilisation is threatened with the gravest danger in four centuries," he declared.

He advocated greater presidential powers to maintain neutrality.

Aided Aggressors

"I agree with the President that there are methods 'short of war but stronger and more effective than words.

"For the past two years we have been using our matchless resources found regret at the tragic death to a very large extent to stimulate of Mr. Monckmason, the British the activities and aggressions of our potential enemies," Mr. Stimson Consul at Mosul, who was stoned asserted.

He said that the present Neutrality Law "was evidently drawn up under nouncement of the death of King the influence of traditions of the past Ghazi, was expressed by the rather than in the face of conditions Prime Minister in the House of as they exist at present."

Commons to-day. He advocated the abandonment of isolation and asserted that the European axis had moved too rapidly and that the world had become too small and inter-connected .-- United Press.

The Next Victim

Mr. Stimson said that if a general European war broke out, the present Neutrality Law might facilitate a result that would make the United States the "next victim for attack," says Reuter.

Mr. Stimson's Testimony

Washington, Apr. 5. In the course of his testimony, Mr. ment; that Mr. Monckmason would Stimson, apparently referring to be accorded a public funeral with full Germany, Italy, and Japan declared: | honours, and that a suitable grant "Three out of the seven most would be made to Mr. Monckmason's powerful nutions in the world have dependents; and reparation rejected the doctrine of mutual damage caused to the British Governrespect that has been built up between nations. Threats of aggression

in hand as interlocking elements of their system. "In a succession of attacks, all in violation of former treaties and magistrate investigating King Ghazi's international law, upon Manchuria, death states: North China, South China, Ethiopia, Spain, Austria, Czecho-Slovakia, und Lithuania, it has been made clear the revolutionary nature with which we are now confronted."

and treaty violations have gone hand

Academic

Although Mr. Stimson's evidence is regarded as very helpful-to-the-Administration, circles close to the Government view the present Senatorial proceedings as academic, because European conditions are changing so rapidly that whatever action Congress now takes may be rendered obsclete through the effect of further Totalitarian action upon American public opinion.

The Administration hopes to see the Pittman resolution enacted, but it does not regard that measure with any degree of finality. It visualises a few days ago. She was the only situations in Europe in which even the Pittman resolution might be too restrictive for national interest.-Reuter.

STOCK MARKET REPORT

The Hongkong Stock Exchangeofficial summary issued yesterday

With London and New York murkets both down this market became very quiet and buyers were conspicuous by their absence; at the same time there was no selling pres-

Union Insurance \$400 ILK. Docks \$16
II. & S. Hotels \$5½
China Lights (Old) \$0.30
China Lights (New) \$5.35
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Sea Lord's Indiscretion

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"Long before the guests came abourd this ship, 16 anti-aircraft guns could have given a warm welcome to anyone who happened to come this way.'

"With this announcement Lord Stanhope ended his speech."

Commons Raference

Referring to the suppressed speech, the Prime Minister declared in the House of Commons that the First Lord of the Admiralty's speech was unpremeditated.

It was not true that he had invited the press to give special prominence

In the course of his remarks, Lord Stanhope drew attention to the fact that there was not a full attendance. as some of the men had been retained aboard their ships in readiness to man guns, as had been the normal practice in times of tension. No other orders had been given

by the Admiralty than that this prac-

tice should not be relaxed even on so

special an occasion. "Constant Readiness"

As it seemed to him (Mr. Chamberlain) this statement might very likely be treated in a sensational manner, he gave directions that the press be asked not to publish an account of the speech. "Apparently," added the Prime Minister, "my efforts to spare the public any unnecessary agitation were not altogether successful, but the incident will, at any rate, have served to demonstrate the constant readiness of the Navy for all eventualities." (Laughter and cheers).

Labour Objection

Mr. Arthur Greenwood asked: "Does the Prime Minister regard the First Lord of the Admiralty as a.fit person to hold such an important post, and will he give an assurance that such indiscreet, irresponsible, and unpremeditated statements shall not be repeated in the future by respon- tions.

sible officers of the Crown?" not the slightest foundation for the The Premier replied: "The First China by the regulations imposed at allegations of agitators that the Lord has expressed his regret that the Japanese Government's instance, British Government was in some way his words, which perhaps were not under which, since March 11 a high very happily chosen, should have proportion of the North China export The Iraq Prime Minister had ingiven rise to so much comment, and trade had been prohibited unless so much unnecessary alarm. I do not foreign exchange proceeds were sold that a public expression of regret think that, affects the efficiency of against Federal Reserve banknotes at Lord Stanhope."

Press Not Instructed

Mr. Chamberlain said that he thought | gan. it appropriate for the Government from time to time to make requests to the press-it was no more than Government's reply.-Reuter. that. He had always found the press ready to comply.

The Premier added: "I must take In his published findings, the the blame for the action, which certainly did not produce the effect I wanted."

"The crash was purely accidental. Mr. A. V. Alexander and other I therefore, have decided to close the Labour members of the Opposition case, as there is no suspicion of a asked if Lord Stanhope's statement was not most unwise. The magistrate examined two

The Premier retorted that Mr. Alexander was making more of the incident than was necessary. the time, and who are now in hospital Eventually the Speaker intervened in the debate, and the matter was

Stanhope Explains

Stanhope made an explanatory state- Yugo-Slavia of 1937, had informed ment in which he said: "I can only the Belgrade Government in advance express my keen regret that any re- of her contemplated plan to place marks of mine emphasising the Albania under her protectionreadiness of the Navy to meet all Domei. eventualities, even when, as now, easier leave is being given, should have udded to the work of the Premier, or cause concern to anyone."

Political Sensation

London, Apr. 5. from the First Lord of the Admiralty's Italy facing Albania across the statement on the Ark Royal yester- Adriatic Sea. day threatened to complicate the increasingly delicate European situ- Minister to Italy, who returned by

the reported Italian plans to occupy Albania's final reply to the Italian Albania as a move to offset the Halt | proposals,-Domeo. Hitler programme. There are hints that Earl Stanhope

will lose his post as First Lord of the Admiralty. He arose early this morning and arrived at the Admiralty int 8.30 a.m. - United Press.

Berlin Fury

Berlin, Apr. 5.

Lord Stanhone's declaration at Portsmouth has aggravated the antithe reply has so far not reached British campaign here. The press is furious and a political commentator regards Lord Stanhope's statement as "symptomatic of the kind of incitement and mood prevail-

ing in England now." Mr. R. A. Butler stated in the mentally existing there."

German Governments have not with- of the encirclement agitation reach- Unconfirmed rumours declare that Lello. ment proposed to watch the situa- ness.

The paper adds: "It looks though the English will gradually be Reports from Burgos this merning gripped by their own ponic-making, state that General Franco immediate and as if even the British Navy, once before Easier will grant an the pride of Great Britain, is seized amnesty to all former Republican by it.".

militiamen and officers, as well as Army and political circles refused political surpects now under arrest. to discuss the staff talks which are The amitesty will not include the reported to have started between leaders of the former Republican Italian and German chiefs. Foreign condomned to death .- Trans-Ocean, and France .- Reuter Special.

JAPANESE IMPORTS

British Colonies May Restrict

LONDON, Apr. 5. IN THE HOUSE of Commons to-day, Mr. Robert Morgan suggested, in view of the action of the Japanese Government in restricting exports from North China to those financed through the Japanese-controlled banks. prohibition of entry into British or Crown Colony ports of all exnccompanied by a Consular stronger anti-British tone. United certificate that they had Press. been financed through British, American, or French banks.

Mr. R. A. Butler, in a written reply, said that the proposal referred to by Mr. Morgan was being examined in common with the decision would be reached.

British Cotton Mills

Replying to Mr. J. J. Stourton, Mr. Butler said that Viscount Halifax was nt present awaiting further information from His Majesty's Ambassador in China with regard to the present position of the Chuntah and other cotton mills occupied by the Japanese in Shanghal.

Replying to Mr. Alan Graham. Mr. Butler said that it was hoped that the arrangements which had been made for co-operation between the Shanghal Municipal Council and the Japanese authorities would result in an improvement in conditions in the so-called bad lands in Shanghai .-

Yangtse River

London, Apr. 5. The position remains unchanged respecting the re-opening of the Yangise River commercially, said Mr. R. A. Butler in the House of Commons to-day, when replying to Commander A. Marsden.

He added that the Government was continuing to press for the restoration of normal trade condi-

The effect on trade with North 1/2d, had been the cessation of foreign trade in Tientsin, and as far as Viscount Halifax was aware, also in other northern ports, said Mr. Replying to Sir Archibald Sinclair, Butler replying to Mr. Robert Mor-

He added that the Government was still awaiting the Japanese

Crisis In Albania

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ment would not surprise Yugo-Slavia in-view-of-the-"friendly--relations" |--maintained between Italy and.-Yugo-

It was understood that Italy; in uc-In the House of Lords, Lord cordance with her agreement. with

Italy Mobilizes

Rome, Apr. 6. Although it was officially denied on Wednesday that Italy had sent troops to Albania, it was ascertained that about 20,000 troops have been concentrated at Bari, Brindisi and The political sensation resulting other ports on the southern coast of

It is understood that the Albanian acroplane to Rome from Tirano on It temporarily overshadows even Wednesdoy, had brought with him

Rumania

Further Reservists Called Up

Bucharest, Apr. 5. Rumania has sent another infantry regiment to the Bulgarian border

drawn their troops from Spain. He ing an unparalleled new peak, and was fully aware of the Italian asdeclares that the subsidiary aim and how far, Germany was willing to go
surances given in this respect, but move is to impress Colonel Beck with to support Bulgaria's claim to the the war is just over. The Govern- Britain's resoluteness and prepared- southern part of Dobruja, "which Bulgaria ceded to Rumania, followthe second Balkan war.-United Press. ..

Onkland, Cal. August Dangles, restaurant "ronriecircles, however, regard them as a tor, got a real kick out of being rob-General Franco on Good Friday counter demonstration to the talks in bed. A burglar carried off a case of ings of those words will be found on will also pardon a number of men France last, week between Britain 24 bottles of what was presumably beer. But it was mineral water.

International Activity

disinclination to

Italian Silonco Rome, Apr. 5.

The morning papers to-day remained silent regarding the situation in Albania. : Neither did they publish the official communique from Albania denying the reports of an Albanian protec-

In their comment on the European

SHIRTS

with collars attached

French Air Chief Returns

M. Guy Lachambre, the French Air Minister returned from his visit to London and informed the press that general question of the protection he was very satisfied with the talks of British interests in China. He and the spirit of co-operation discould not say at the present what played by Sir Kingsley Wood and his collaborators.—Reuter,

H.K. Stock Market

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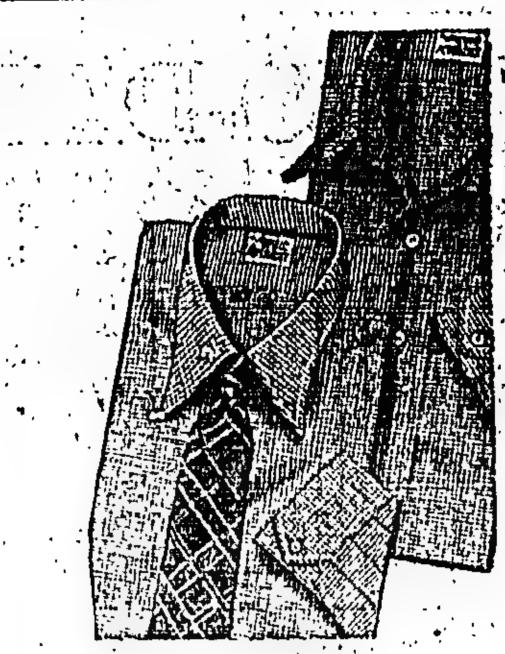
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H.E. the G.O.C., Major General A. He added that Mr. Chamberlain's following reports that Bulgaria had E. Grasett, accompanied by Brigadier statement "coes not alter the part moved troops towards the Bulgarian A. B. Thomson, left on H.M.S. Moth frontier. It is understood also that according to programme this morning House of Commons to-day that as far Under the heading "Anti-Peace Rumania has called up a number of on an 'official visit to the Actingas he was aware the Italian and Torpedo," the "Lokalanzeiger" talks recently demobilised. . Governor of Macao, Colonel Luis





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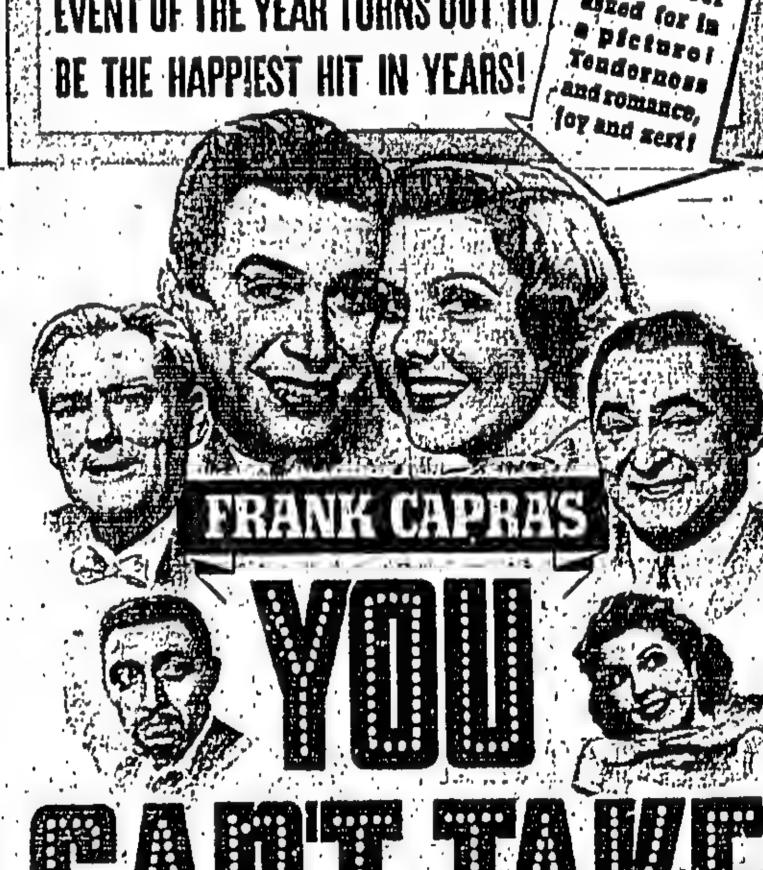
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TWO-DAY RACE MEETING DURING EASTER HOLIDAYS

CLASSIFICATION LIST OF PONIES IUST RELEASED

Capital Programme For Each Day

(By "Captain Foster")

A fine Easter programme of two days' racing will be contested at Happy Valley during the holidays and it is earnestly hoped that the Clerk of the Weather will be kind enough to provide us with a good grass track. On Saturday the first saddling bell will be chimed at noon and the meeting will continue on Monday. The tiffin interval will be immediately after the second race on each day and captain of the British Ryder Cup the third event is timed to be run at 2.30 p.m.

tion of the Australian and China and we may look forward to a good ponies issued, by the Hongkong day of thrills, and handsome return Jockey Club under the date of March of substantial dividends, 20. One would hardly believe that there are only eight Australian ponics classified in the senior form, but a flock of 37 is in the "B" division and cumstance it must not be overlooked grade. The classification sub-com- (both the Australian and China Scottish Football League mittee must have had an awful time ponles) have not as yet learned by The results were as follows: being no fewer than 63 in the "D" on a slippery course, I am sure that Kilmarnock. standard while in the "E" company are just half a century. There are only eight "A" class Chine ponies, including Rose Elect and Novylight, but the "B" division has a strong Freta the change from a firm to a was seen in action at Macao last fighting force of 31 ponies and the soft course caused several upsets and Sunday, winning the Fulwell Handi- S. A. Rumjahn v. J. M. Tomlinson "C" section is well represented with an aggregate of 42 China steeds.

not allow for 'n' general survey of weight carriers. lwhat the argument was, but one thing is certain and that is that it is impossible for the sub-committee to please everybody. It is interesting to relate that none of the Australian ponies of this season is to be found in the "A" class, but among the China steeds, Celtie Star, Marksman and Musketeer have been drafted to the "C" section.

. However, on Saturday racing enthusinsts will have the opportunity of seeing this year's subscription bonn fide griffins running for the first time ugainst the old stagers in the

TEN RACES A DAY

capital programme of ten races each post of honour and so does Advancing over the same jaunt. The weight is day, the main event being the Easter Time who is making her first appear- 10 lbs, under the scale for inches, but Stakes for China ponies over a mile once in the lower deck company, winners of stake money will have to be contested on Easter Monday. Sylvandale does all his training in carry 1 lb. penalty for every \$100 or Lucky Lad and the former in my been altered to a handicap event inhim after his successful run at the not started at the big meeting, has making amends,
stead of a term race, but I am afraid annual meeting. When they clashed, been nominated by Mr. Dunbar, but that it will be a tame affair owing Sylvandale, the winner, conceded a it is learned that this grey gelding Rose Elect. I presume the small and Ebony-Idol-who-were second and not worry-over this entry as there owners must have noticed that the third respectively, but it will be re- are several other speedy merchants stake money has been increased, membered that these three racers had better than Annas Bay. I cannot see specially in the minor events and the novice pilots on their back whereas any opposition to Jennifer and lowest third prize is \$200 instead of on Saturday the "black letters" furthermore the distance is to her the usual \$125 at the Extra Meet- lockeys will be in the saddle. I have liking. For the lower positions in the ings. The Talwan Bay Handicap for not been able to ascertain who is go-Hongham Bay Handicap for "B" class that Ebony Idol will have the short lier, Forgotten Star, Heetic View and China raters have been sub-divided distance star jockey, Mr. B. Proulx. into two sections at the discretion of Ebony. Idol has grown in substance the official handicopper and the and strength under the careful handisegregation has given us plenty of ing of the Fanling halberdier and we food for thought. However, as all shall see a good tussle between the the ponies have practically only one two" ponies. engagement, this naturally makes it is By the way Mr. Alan Raymond is easier for the students of form to no longer on the injured list, for he

I have before me a new classifica-| compile a ranking list of their own

At time of writing the grass track is on the heavy side and in the cirexperience the sensation of galloping Motherwell ". there must be a lot of mudlarks or mudders as our American friends call them, but so far no rail bird can compile a list. Last Sunday at Arcia the top weighters could not get go- cop with his old friend Double Cham Kam-moon v. Lee Wai-tong ing. It is not possible to predict at Chance and I am sure the combina-There has been, as usual, a lot of we are going to have on Saturday, this event on Saturday. King's argument over the classification of but should there be any water on the Worthy's last public appearance was some ponies, but the criticism was not course, I would advise punters to in 1935 and I wonder whether the

Sylvandale's Prospects - Are Rosy

The Meeting opens with a sprint. over six furlongs and the official handleapper has assigned 14 "D" handleap events and I would like to tion of the Talwan Boy Handleap. ask punters to go slow with their five The winner is to receive \$600 and obviously all will be out to annex Race-goers will be treated with a and Fanling, Sylvandale holds the not won more than \$999 in stakes) The conditions of this classic have the open country and I have not seen part thereof. Annas Bay, who has escunation has a sporting chance of muddy or wet ground. class China ponies and the ing to ride Sylvandale, but I do know tween Blue Diamond, English Cava-

Away Teams Win In Scottish Matches

n total of 20 appears in the "C" that all the youngsters of this season played in the First Division of the the second round of the doubles,

of a constructive nature. Space does pour out their money on the low increase in stake money has brought the stallion back to racing. The great old warrior, Valorous, is not out of the race and Desert Star, the winner of last year's . Valley Stakes, looks dangerous with only 155 lbs. to shoulder. However, I will make my final selections on Saturday.

Jennifer Should Win The Mirs Bay Stakes

Another interesting contest before lunch will be seen in the Mirs Bay this event. On the strength of his Stakes confined to China pon,es, bonn fine performances at Happy Valley; fide griffins of this season, (that have frame there will be a good fight be-Galveston Bay.

Strathroy Not In Albury H'cap

Although the ex-champion, Stra- storters and jockeys: throy, has returned to the course, Mr. Bistre J. F. Macgregor has not nominated Celtie Star for the Albury Handicap confined to "A" class Australian ponies Marksman over a mile. Very poor entries (to Milleage be precise, only four)-linge been re- Musketner. ceived and no explanation has been colleted for the non-entity of Able Amuzon and Gypsy Love Courting This Time Eve is definitely accepting, but it Wild Cet seems to me that the mare is not yet Rose Evelyn belonging to Mr. En form and that in the second he is well keyed for the mile sprint. Lan- Tong-sen is considered by the weight having an oil-day, but I feel that cashire Chips, who will be ridden by adjuster to be, the best among the there is more in it than that, and a

OUR WEEKLY The Pilgrim on—

GOAL-KEEPERS

PRINCIPLES WHICH AN EFFICIENT KEEPER SHOULD Leading Scores KNOW

GOOD POSITIONING ONE

GREAT ADVANTAGE

In the following paragraphs I have endeavoured to write down what are considered to be the most important

Of Season

Leading goal scorers in the running for sticks to be presented by the International Sports are:

CAER CLARK CUP
Miss M., Smith (C.B.A. ladies) -10

BRAWN CUP Mrs. Ackroyd (Scaforths)
H.K. H. A. TOURNAMENT G. Singh (Radio S. and P.C.)

Match At l'ennis To-day

fit for play, an interesting match will urbutes of a successful hockey goal- second he is having an off-day, but

seen in action, and much interest will be focussed on them this afternoon. The match will be played on stand court. The programme is as follows:

run, he will often shoot in a direc-OPEN SINGLES tion, but if he receives the batt in a more or less stationary position information about the direction of his OPEN DOUBLES this juncture what sort of race track tion will have something to say in Lee Yue-wing and v. T. A. Pearce and snot can often be obtained by watching his feet. It- is also worthwhile Ho Kn-lnu W. A. H. Duff

Upsets In S. African

Johannesburg, Apr. 5.

per, by 6-2, 4-6, 8-6, 2-6, 6-4, In the women's singles, Miss Shell Piercey beat Mrs. Hoine Miller by movements before a game without 8-6 6-4.—Reuter.

The Sub-griffing Spring Handicap does play a recognisable part in hocfor 'China' ponies; subscription griffins of any senson, has attracted a close range work. One day everyfew past champions and several classy subs of this year's batch and the run is over the champion course. The following is a list of probable

Mr. H. P. Chanson Mr. S. W. Pan King Kong Mr. A. W. Raymond Mr. V. Needa Mr. A. Johnstone Mr. C. F. Chiu Mr. C. Encarnacao Mr. D. Black

(Continued on Page 4.)

of principles that can be learned from experience, while others are qualities which a goalkeeper should possess in Hockey Association Tournament:

Some degree before his experience begins, and without Radto & P. S. Club ... 9 1. 22 4 17 which he can never hope to be more than moderately suc-.It is considered that, apart from of a game—a lucky save, perhaps the ability to stop shots straight at tun add considerably to a goal- Varity If the Hongkong C.C. courts are him, the three most important at- keeper is on form and that in the Police

so easy. If the attacker is on the

be decided in the Colony Tennis keeper are (1) a good sense of an- I feel that there is more in it than be decided in the Colony Tennis reoper are (1) ability to that, and a piece of good luck in the the goalkeeper his fair share of good Lee Yue-wing and Ho Ka-lau play clear shots after saving them, (3) early stages of a game—a lucky luck. Lee Yue-wing and Ho Ka-lau play erea shore allowance of good luck. save, perhaps—can add considerably luck.

T. A. Pearca and W. A. H. Duff in an average allowance of good luck. save, perhaps—can add considerably Nevertheless, leaving out the questo a goalkeeper's confidence. How- tion of good luck for the moment, I Pearer and Duff who drew a bye when the person shooting is opposite other positions on the tien, and the do-maintain that there is a considerwhen the person shooting is opposite other positions on the field, and able amount of skill in hockey goalto the centre of the goal is not dif- when the small size of the ball is ficult—in general, he stands in the considered together with the speed position can be studied and demiddle of his goal—but anticipation with which it can be hit into goal, veloped in a fashion smillar to that as to where the shot is coming is not I do not think anybody will begrudge for any other position.

STANDINGS OF TEAMS TO DATE

points about hockey goal keeping. Some of these consist

keeping, and that the tactles of the

RANDOM JOTTINGS BY "THE PILGRIM"

THE Recreio ladies almost ruined THE H.K. team showed pretty good gogikeeper is more vulnerable on his their chances of winning the L form in their last game before Brawn Cup when they only managed their departure for Shanghal on a draw against the D.G.S. last Satur- Sunday, Mrs. Read scored six goals So many gouls are scored by forday. They still head the league and seems to be regaining her form wards following up a shot and scortable, having played 15 games, lost of last season. It was very fortuning from the rebound, that it is very I and drawn 2 with 26 points to their ato the services of Miss E. Grey was credit. Their nearest rivals, the acquired at the very last moment, in but he must try to kick or hit the H.K. Ladies, seem to be in a better place of Mrs. Wilmot who is unable ball safely away; afterwards—prefer- position with 13 games played, 2 lost to make the trip, and her inclusion ably towards the wings. This clear—hand. Should the H.K. Ladies win Colony defence. Their remaining for the batt can easily be practised by the goalkeeper and a few their remaining factures—they are at Favouritos Vere beaten to-day in team-mates. One of them hits in present without the services of their the South African Lawn Tennis shot at him and he stops it and brilliant centre forward, Miss J. WR. G. E. R. Divett, the popular the South who is away as a reserve with tries to clear while the rest of his tree Interport team—they will the centre forward, left for Shanghai last Southern Transvaal, bent Vernon attempt to prevent or intercept his with Recreio and a replay will be clearances. Goal-posts are not necessary. I doubt they can acreally necessary for this, and so it complish this feat without the assiscan also be practised for a few tance of their leader.

> poned to Sunday, April 16. The old arrangements hold good.

With regard to running out, exthat THE following ladies have ehosen - to -represent - Sharighal cuse is quite clear; if a forward gets against Hongkong next Saturday away completely on his own, he must be met'on the edge of the cir-

Goalkeeper: Miss U. Paciz: Backs: Miss E. Bloomfield and Miss M. Ost. Halves: Miss I. Wilkinson. Miss M.

to cover the goal, and often, in try-Ballingall and Miss M. Malinovsky, Forwards: Miss J. McKeown 'keeper, the forward hits it outside. (capt.) - Miss. D. Eardley, Miss M Sheridan, Miss N. Kelly and Miss U. I do hold the opinion that luck key goalkeeping-particularly in wrom the above team one will ob-

thing goes right—the hard shots are ------- evolyn Victor the tives of the International Tournaall straight at him, all his kicks are famous pair of backs, who visited ment and will be submitted to the magnificent, his run-outs perfectly the Colony in luci. I doubt, his meeting of the H.K.H.A. council this timed, and "ht. close-range every- Esther Bloomfield and Miss M. Om afternoon for their approval. thing seems to hit him or come with ure us good, and this gives me in reach. Another day nothing a rather confident feeling that H.K. seems to go right goals are scored will emerge winners. The four CHINESE players who are anxious from scrimmages, the shots go just players who have been seen in ac- U to represent their country in the in the corners, the forward just gets were are Miss E. Bloomfield, International Tournament have rethere, first when the 'keeper runs Miss D. Eardley, Miss M. Sheridan quested to get into touch with Mr. out, or the only shots he has are and Miss Kelly. and the state of the

movements before a game without intruding on the actual playing pitch. I think an ability to flick the place impossible to hold the six-a-side members is requested. THE usual monthly meeting of the

IN a practice match on the "Y" ground last Tuesday, the Y.M.C.A., flelding their best team. defeated India-by three goals to two. Dawson, playing at centre forward, completed the hat-trick for the winners.: Datta Ram, and M. H.: Hassan were absent from India's defence.

TETITH regard to the International Tournament, a player may now play for a country, either choosing nationality of his father or mother. Once he represents the country he has chosen, he shall in future play for no other. This rule serve the absence of Miss Frances was decided upon by the Representa-

L. H. Tan, Hongkong University.

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(By "Abo")

In many respects the soccer match played between the Straits Chinese and the Hongkong shakily in the first half, improved in Combined Chinese at Caroline Hill yesterday was the best of the three which the visitors have played in the Colony. The exchanges were faster and more even than in the previous two games, in both of which the tourists were outplayed.

nobody grudged them their victory, into Straits territory. First Chan ine local defence into knots on several with all the added touches in which The Kirbys are purse proud. The In all their matches in Hongkong the Tak-fai, then Tang Kwong-sum occasions in the first half when, had visitors have played well enough in and later Chan Tak-fai again they only been able to take advantage of the things the characters lated." The Ks live in an enormous midfield, and but for a lamontable his the characters lated. The Ks live in an enormous midfield, and but for a lamontable his the characters lated. midfield, and but for a lamentable hit the wood-work of the goal tage of their territorial superiority, do may not be exactly sensible, but mansion and work in a bank. The Vs live and work in a bank. The Vs live and work in a the results might have been different beat an all with the custodian completely then one goal up. James Gob and weakness in front of goal, some of with the custodian completely they should certainly have been more than one goal up. James Goh and beaten all within a period of 10 Ha Tee-siang were an effective right-wing combination, and Goh difficulty in scoring. The Local Chinese eleven did not Goh preferred to send the ball never than one goal up. James Goh and the centre-form than one goal up. James Goh and the centre-form than one goal up. James Goh and the centre-form than one goal up. James Goh and the centre-form than one goal up. James Goh and the centre-form difficulty in scoring. The Local Chinese eleven did not Goh preferred to send the ball and the centre-form difficulty in scoring. The Local Chinese eleven did not Goh preferred to send the ball and the centre-form difficulty in scoring. The Local Chinese eleven did not Goh preferred to send the ball and the centre-form difficulty in scoring. The Local Chinese eleven did not Goh preferred to send the ball and the centre-form difficulty in scoring. The Local Chinese eleven did not Goh preferred to send the ball and the centre-form difficulty in scoring. The Local Chinese eleven did not Goh preferred to send the ball and the centre-form difficulty in scoring. The Local Chinese eleven did not Goh preferred to send the ball and the centre-form difficulty in scoring. The Local Chinese eleven did not Goh preferred to send the ball and the centre-form difficulty in scoring.

on end were all over the visiting de- Federation, many famous names he was the local defenders were a fence. They did everything they being missing from the line-up. But match for the Straits forwards. The could have done without being able those who turned out performed only goal scored in the game was due Chief Justice Sir Atholi MacGregor to score. Admittedly they were uncreditably, especially in defence, and chiefly to the only occasion when he were present at the match. lucky in not doing so more than once; even in the forward line the approach dashed in in an attempt to score. He still on the whole they had only work left little to be desired; only in had a very narrow angle by the time

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London, Apr. 5. beating the Hon. Mr. Max Aitken and Henry Cotton by three and two over 18 holes.—Reuter.

football, and though he started

years, at inside left for the local Chinese caused general surprise, but considering the fact that he has been out of the game for so long, the veteran gave a good display.

DEFT TOUCHES

In the second half especially, the hongkong Chinese for long periods on end were all over the visiting de-

WITH YOU" WINS PRAISE OF CRITICS

Take It With You." This picture, of the business of living. voted the best in 1938, has been In view of the fact that the picture The appearance of Ip Pak-wu, the voted the best in 1938, has been in view of the fact that the picture old South China left-winger, who has lauded everywhere and local critics, was directed by Frank Capra and local South China left-winger, who has therefore, were justified in looking made by Columbia Pictures, a compact been playing soccer for three forward to seeing a really fine film parison with "Mr. Deeds Goes To

Though the Straits players were game was immediately on resump- found in the midfield play of the entertaining film it was districted to win by the tion when, facing a one goal deficit, Straits Chinese. They introduced also there is, but the picture is the entertaining film it was solitary goal scored in the first balf, the local Chinese took the ball down some very deft touches which threw solitary goal scored in the first balf, the local Chinese took the ball down some very deft touches which threw local chinese to be solitary goal scored in the first balf, the local Chinese took the ball down some very deft touches which threw local chinese in which the solitary goal scored in the first balf, the local Chinese took the ball down some very deft touches which the solitary goal touches in which the solitary goal scored in the first balf, the local Chinese took the ball down some very deft touches which the solitary goal touches in which the solitary goal to the solitary goal touches in which the solitary goal to the solitary goal

and the centre-forward had no

Choo Seng-quee kept a firm check on Chun Tak-fai, but the nippy local wingers must have been a source of great anxiety to the visitors' defence, where Soon Cheon-lye and John Then distinguished themselves with some timely clearances.

His Excellency the Governor, S Geoffry Northcote, and party and the

Straits, Chinese:-Fong Wai-man themselves to blame for missing so finishing did they fall. Chan Kwong- he was able to shoot, but Cheung Soon Choon-lye, John Then; Kee was able to shoot, but Cheung Soon Choon-lye, John Then; Kee was able to shoot, but Cheung Soon Choon-lye, John Then; Kee was able to shoot, but Cheung Soon Choon-lye, John Then; Kee Wing-choi failed to shoot, but Cheung Soon Choon-lye, John Then; Kee Wing-choi failed to shoot, but Cheung Soon Choon-lye, John Then; Kee Wing-choi failed to shoot, but Cheung Soon Choon-lye, John Then; Kee Wing-choi failed to shoot, but Cheung Soon Choon-lye, John Then; Kee Wing-choi failed to shoot, but Cheung Yew-leng, Choo Seng-quee, Koh Hor-playing consistently well of late, was grounder and the ball went to Chia khoon; James Goh, Ha Tee-sing, Chia The most exciting moment of the given his first taste of representative Keng-hock, who was following up, Keng-hock, Yuen Kuan-hong (Ho Kok-choy) and John Chye.

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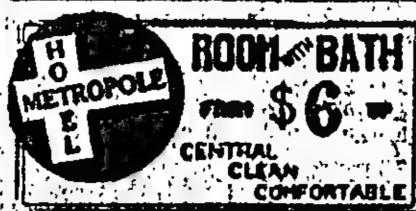
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OUR SPELLING BEE (100, page 7

If distributors in the past have they all come under the heading of sometimes erred in showering praise good clean fun. If the film has any on a picture which has not deserved lesson, it is that while life may be it. there is no fear of their having real it should not be too earnest, done so in the case of "You Can't and that fun is a worth-while part

forward to seeing a really fine film parison with "Mr. Deeds Goes To when they went to the preview held Town" is almost inevitable. Having at the King's Theatre yesterday. seen both, one can honestly say it. They were not disappointed. Not is as good as that old box-office suc-"You Can't Take It With cess in many respects and better in You" is a truly great picture, some. The same master hand possessing all the qualities which one guided every move and has given looks for but seldom finds in films. "You Can't Take It With You" the Once again, little fault could be Fun there is in plenty and every same delightful little touches which

> fireworks, studies ballet dancing all at the same time. The Ka live in an atmosphere of frigid finance—the Vs in happy pandemonium. Martin Vanderhof, as played by Llonel Barrymore, might easily be the grandfather of Longfellow Deeds. Anthony P. Kirby might be Ebenezer Scrooge, in the solidity of Edward daughter who is Jean Arthur. Anthony has a son who is James Stewart, Martin has a house Anthony wants to buy, and Martin refuses to sell because he is not interested in money.

That is the theme of the film. This in itself does not sound very promising, does it? But wait until you see the film. It is a wowl Combined Chinese:-Cheung Wing- As usual in a Frank Capra film choi; Hou Yung-sang; Chan Kwongyue; Lau Hing-choi, Leung Wingchiu, T'se Kam-hung; Tang Kwongsam, Cheuk Shek-kam, Chan Takfai, Ip Pak-wah and Yeung Shuiyick.

As usual in a Frank Capra han
formances by supporting players.

formances by supporting players.

One by Harry Davenport, as a judge
in a New York night court, will send
fai, Ip Pak-wah and Yeung Shuiyick.

other by H. B. Warner, as a man who
has been made bankrupt, is an un-

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has been made bankrupt, is an unforgettable moment of tragedy.

"You Can't Take It With You" cannot fail to be a box-office success. It appeals to all sections of the community; lowbrows are certain to like it, and highbrows will find themselves bowled over too, whether they like it or not. Those who wish to save their tearstained faces afterwards can draw consolation from the flawless technical efficiency with which every bit of the picture has been made.

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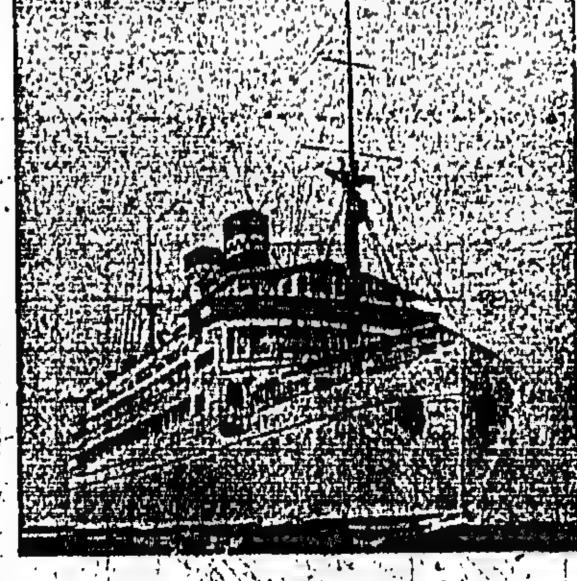
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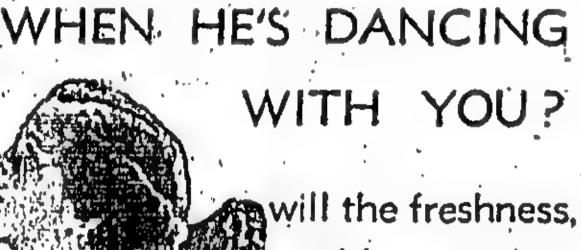
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Some hanging mirrors, have a metal trough along the bottom, covered by a hinged glass panel to hide it. The flowers are arranged in the trough so that they form a floral border across the glass.

Fairly short-stemmed flowers in a massed grounder look well by

massed grouping look well in this mirror, though the blooms should not be arranged too low or they will not reflect to any great advantage.

Other mirrors have metal brackets

on both sides holding chromium vases for flowers. These look par-ticularly effective when filled with drooping blooms and traits of leaves that hang down and across the glass. All these mirrors are frameless, but if you srefer your glass in a frame you can have a mirror with

a container attached to the frame at the bottom, so that the flowers stand up in front of the glass and are re-flected back to you in all their colourful splendour.

If you want a table mirror there is an ingenious one on a metal stand. The glass has a hole near the bottom through which you put the flower stalks into a metal holder at the back of the mirror. This form makes a perfect setting for two or three anemones, a single carnation with a sprig of fern, or a single spray of mimosa or like.

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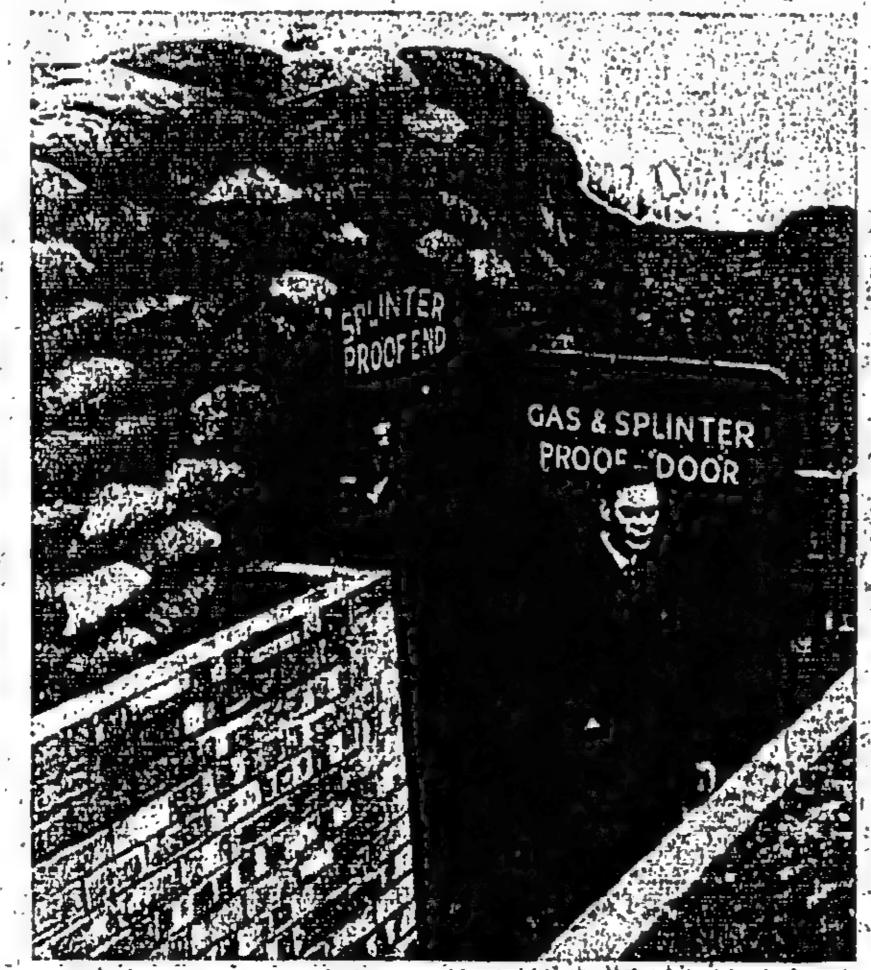
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The King and Queen visited Birmingham recently and made an extensive tour of the city. On this page we show some of the incidents of their Majestics' tour. Below: The King and Queen "arrived at the New Street Station and were welcomed by the Lord Mayor and the High Sheriff of Warwickshire, Mr. Baron Ash, who were presented to their Majestles by Mr. Chamberlain, the Minister in Attendance, Lower Left: Their Majesties inspected the Centre Hospital at Eughaston and the Queen performed the ccremony of naming it. Left: In the afternoon the King toured the Heavy Section of the British Industries Fair at Castle Bromwich. His Majesty entered a splinter-proof and gasproof sir-raid shelter which was on exhibition there and enquired as to the protection it gave. He was told it would resist the effects of a direct hit.





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SECRET PEACE PLAN IS REVEALED

Chungking, Apr. 5. The Tal Kung Pao gives prominence to a sensational alleged detailed secret agreement between Mr Wang Ching-wei and Baron Hiranuma, Premier of Japan, consisting of five points:

Japan should launch an offensive on three fronts: In North China Japan must occupy Slan, capital of Shensi, to effect encirclement, of Szechuen and cut communications between China and Russia; in South China Japan should occupy Nanning, capital of Kwangsi, in order Nanning, capital of Rwangs, in order
to exert pressure on anti-Japanese
sentiment in that province and cui
communications between Kwangs
and French Indo-China; in Central
China Japan should take Changsha
cut the Kiangsi-Hunan railway and
occupy Siangyang and Fengchen it. order to apply a strangtchold or. Hunan and Szechuen provinces;

When Japan completes the fore-going programme, Mr. Wang Ching-wel will personally lead an anti-Chinng Kai-shek and anti-Communist war;

Mr. Wang Ching-wei will be responsible for the organisation of an anti-Communist national salvation alliance with himself as chief execu-

An agreement should be discussed for_restoration of peaceful friendly relations between China and Japan, For the realisation of the second

and third points Japan should pay Mr. Wang Ching-wei \$3,000,000. The paper alleges that Japan has already made two payments. claims that the details of the secret

agreement were obtained by the Chinese authorities through a certain Mr. Hsa, who worked as interpreter for the Japanese.-Reuter.

Anti-British Organisation In N. China

Kaifeng, Apr. 5.

An anti-British demonstration took pince at Kaifeng, capital of Horian, under the jurisdiction of the Provisional Government on Tuesday nfternoon, when some 5,000 citizens held a mass meeting and adopted a resolution denouncing British assistance to the Chiang Kai-shek regime.

Branding Great Britain as "China's public enemy," the resolution alleges that Britain's supplies to the Chiang Kai-shek regime are mainly responsible for the prolongation of warfare in China. Urging the British authorities to reconsider their attitude, the resolution says that otherwise British influence in China must be ousted.—Domei.

Associations Formed

Shanghal, Apr. 5. Anti-British associations have been inaugurated in 52 districts in the occupied areas in Central China, according to reports from Nanking. It is stated that 150,000 persons have joined the Nanking section, where women have now started a boycott of British goods.

The so-called "general affairs section of the anti-British movement committee" in Nanking accuses Britain of aggression in China, also fomenting internal strife obstructing - reconstruction of the country. The committee is paying special attention to anti-British edu-cation among children.—Reuter.

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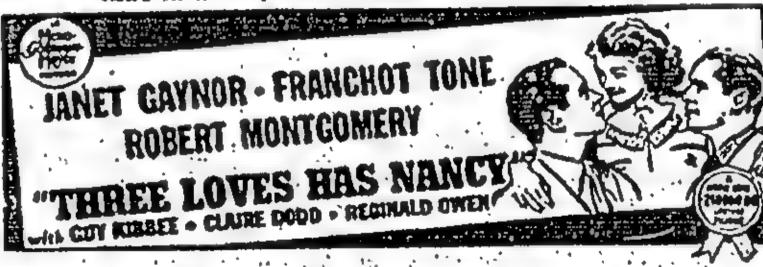
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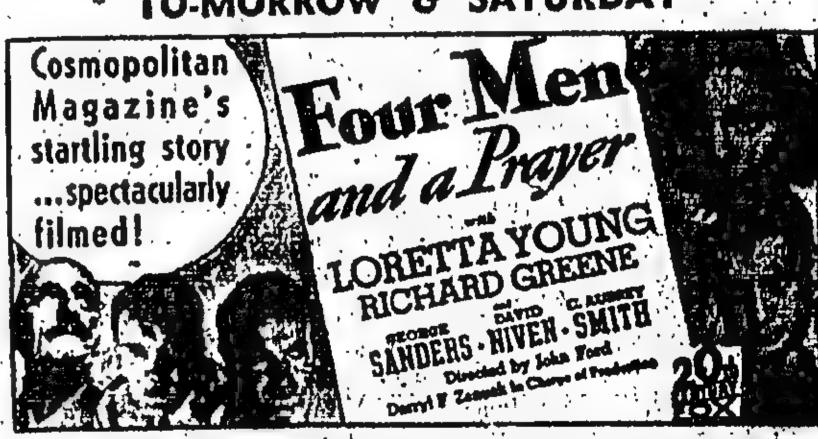
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arrived at Shanghal at 1 p.m. yester- "Thirteen years ago," the letter day and left at 7 a.m. to-day. She read, "I stole some candy from your is due at Hongkong on Saturday at store. Now the Lord has saved my pam.

BLOOMSBURG, Pa. Ray G. Pensyl-received, on un-The R. M. S. Empress of Canada signed letter with 50 cents enclosed.

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ALBANIA AS TROOPS MASS

BELCRADE, APR. 6. THE BELGRADE COR-RESPONDENT OF ASSOCIATED PRESS LEARNS FROM RELI-ABLE SOURCES THAT THE YUGO-SLAV GOVERNMENT HAS RECEIVED INFORMA-TION THAT ITALIAN TROOPS WILL START in the streets of Celendin, OCCUPATION OF AL-BANIA AT MIDNIGHT (7 A.M. TO-DAY HONGKONG TIME).

Yugo-Slav Government passer-by who had been dumb quarters neither deny nor confirm the report.

such development would not surprise Yugo-Slavia in view of the "friendly relations" maintained between Italy and Yugo-Slavia.

Italy, in accordance with her agreement with Yugo-Slavia of 1937, had informed the Belgrade Government in advance of her contemplated plan to place Albania under her protection.—

HITCH TO DUCE'S PLAN

TIRANA, APR. 6.-IT IS AU-THORITATIVELY LEARNED THAT ALL ITALIANS ARE BEING EVACUATED FROM ALBANIA BEFORE TO MORROW NIGHT. THE ONLY EXCEPTION IS THE DIPLOMATIC STAFF. — UNITED

Reliable quarters in Belgrade have received reports from Albania saying that King Zeg favours resistance to the Italian demands that Fascist troops be permitted to occupy several Albanian ports and airports.—United

Coup Believed Imminent

NEW YORK, Apr. 5. from Rome says that the Italian coup against Albania is believed imminent in diplomatic circles at Rome, some Committee. observers binting that it will be forthcoming overnight.

silence, but an important declaration will be approximately the same as is expected by Thursday morning, the despatch adds.-Domei.

Evacuation Begins

The entire country is in the grip of tension in anticipation of a will be accepted in payment. momentous development with Italy. The Italian residents in northern Albania have reportedly started have started taking a census of the Snow fell in northern parts of Scot- kong. Mme. Cosme will journey to evacuation abroad. King Zog person- population. The police are calling land. ally presided at an emergency Cabinet Council to-day to discuss the threatening situation.

Following conclusion of the urgent session, the Government announced that military measures were being taken to meet the situation. No reference was made in the announcement to the circumstances leading up to the present crisis.—Domei.

Italy Mobilizes

Rome, Apr. 6. on :Wednesday that Italy had sent on the "liberation" of Madrid. concentrated at Bari, Brindisi and Nationalist Army,-Reuter. other ports on the southern coast of Italy facing Albania across the

It is understood that the Albanian ports from Tunis. Minister to Italy, who returned by The Italian press, giving great below normal, and the record aeroplane to Rome from Tiraco on prominence to the report, interprets minimum temperature of 51.8 degrees, maximum. This was due entirely to Wednesday, had brought with him it as a refutation of the assertion by set on April 4, 1905, was broken on the sun, which peeped out; of the Albania's final reply to, the Italian the French Premier, M. Daladier, that two days this week.

"Italians Leave Tunis

Mamiller, have applied to the Italian number about 40 to 50 thousand. had increased to 66 degrees, eight 12 am 38.9 11 am 68.8 000 barrels of fuel oil in exchange Consulate General at Turis for re- I qui-Ocean. Reuters than Jesterday's a think of the Consulator of the Consulator of Tayon. Reuters

Dumb Man Saw Nude Girl-Spoke

New York, Apr. 5. TORIZE story of restored spaceh to a dumb man. which has been convulsing American newspapers, is now officially declared to be cor-

A furious starm broke out Peru, ripped the clothes completely off a woman pedestrian and left her naked.

The surprise of sceing the restored speech to a male tor years.

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BRITAIN ARMING MERCHANT SHIPS

LONDON, Apr. 5.

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Shanghal, Sir Robert Cralgie,

British - Ambassador to Japan,

Chinese National Government.

afternoon. 🏏

and Japan,-Domci. ..

to China, will proceed to Chungking

to negotiate with leaders of the

The report lacks confirmation. I

The nature of the conversations

FRENCH EVOY

DEPARTS

The French Ambassador to China

M. H. Cosme, left for Shangnal this

Shanghal by a passenger ship later.

Bishop Hall

Returns

arrived at 12.35 p.m. to-day with ten

weeks trip into southwestern China,

Development Finance Corporation,

The passengers included Bishop

Shanghai, Apr. 6.

in Hongkong.

MR. GEOFFREY SHAKESPEARE, Parliamentary Secretary to the Admiralty, stated in the House of victim suddenly made nude | Commons to-day that it was anticipated that about 1,000 merchant ships would have been stiffened for gunmounting by the end of the year. Sufficient anti-submarine

They state that even HONGKONG'S WEATHER

It was understood that North-vasterly winds, moderate to fresh, and fair weather generally.

BITING GALES from the Siberian Steppes are responsible for the most extraordinary April weather ever experienced in Hongkong.

Because the sun shone to-day, the mercury has crept up to a more reasonable level than that experienced during the past sixty hours, but a meteorologist warned the "Telegraph" to-day that cold weather will otherwise continue.

"BUSINESS" TAX FOR CANTON

CANTON, Apr. 6. A BUSINESS TAX will be imposed as from April 15. according to an announcement An "Associated Press" despatch made by the Finance Depart-cherry-blossoms were already begin, stood that the two British envoys ment of the Peace Preservation

The levy will affect all kinds of The Italian Government is keeping business in Canton city, and the rate that charged by the former Chinese Kunming yesterday-the first April

authorities. The tax will be collected quarterly, and only the Japanese military yen Meanwhile the Chinese authorities

from house to house, taking down at particulars.—Reuter. *

Don Juan, youngest son of King Alfonso, and often referred to as Although it was officially denied General Franco, congratulating him "However, that is someth troops to Albania, it was ascertained General Franco has replied, re- abnormal conditions usually change H. Y. Ho, Adviser to the China French police, who immediately that about 20 000 thoons have been calling Don Juan's dealer to tole the conditions usually change H. Y. Ho, Adviser to the China French police, and captured that about 20,000 troops have been calling Don Juan's desire to join the rapidly."

patriation, to Italy according to re-

proposals Domeo. the Italian residents in Tunis had The minimum yesterday, 50.4 denothing to complain of and were ex- grees, was the lowest ever recorded cellently treated.

perienced since 1912." With barometric pressure high over Siberia, nearly half the world is being affected by the cold wave that has gripped Hongkong since Monday.

is covering the whole of China,'

he said. "It is the strongest ex-

"A most unusual anti-cyclone

Tokyo Snow-fall

Citizens of Tokyo rubbed their eyes is revealed that Amba; sador Craigie this morning when they awoke to who arrived here from Japan yesterfind the city blanketed in snow-an day, was received by Ambassador almost unprecedented April occur- Kerr at the British Embassy here this

In many parts, of Japan the was not divulged; but it was under-

Temperature in Tokyo on Tuesday to Britain's policies towards China afternoon was .7 below zero. North China is also experiencing biting weather, and April snow is folling in the Han River and Sian

A hailstorm was experienced in fall recorded within living memory.

Europa, Too

morning aboard' the French sloop Europe is also gripped by an un- Tahure. The.; Ambassador was precedented cold wave. Snow is passenger on the Marechal Joffre last falling in Berlin, and the mercury in week when street collided with the London has fallen thirty degrees. Conton and had to return to Hong-

"The anti-cyclone would have a tremendous influence on both the Asian and European continents, and the cold wave would even extend across the English - channel," a -- Hongkong meteorological official told the "Telegraph", in confirming reports of the cold wave in Europe.

The anti-cyclone still continues and the official forecast does not hold out passengers and mail. BURGOS, Apr. 6.—The Infanta any hope for a substantial rise in R. O. Hall, returning from a three temperature yet.

"The cold wave will likely continue Mr. Thorbecke on his way to Shanghat on business, and Mr. Richold "However, that is something we travelling on private business. The cannot be too certain about, for these Chinese passengers included Mr.

Since Sunday, temperature in Bank of China Hongkong has been nearly 15 degrees

in the Colony In the fourth month varied since midnightness.

'Blitzangriff'

("Lightning Attack")

Won't Work **British Precautions** Completed

IN THE House, of Commons to-day, Mr. Chamberlain declared that Britain is fully prepared to repel any lightning attack either by air or sea.

The Premier mildly rebuked Earl Stanhope for "speaking out of turn" but at the same time admitted that the Government considers this to be a "time of tension" and had accordingly instructed naval gunners to be prepared to man their guns.

This was taken as confirming reports, that the Navy and Air Force have been on the plert for the past ten days, patrolling the North Sea and the English Channel.—United Press.

STRATEGY AT SEA

Britain, France And The Mediterranean

London, Apr. 5.

all expected requirements, in the House of Commons if any plans for concerted French and ammunition was: availand British action in the Mediterranean existed, and if any Good progress was being between conversations French and British naval, military and air authorities, concernanti-aircraft guns and aming such plans had recently munitica was being protaken place, or were contemvided concurrently.—Reuter plated.

Mr. W. S. Morrison replied: "Contacts between the two staffs regarding Ships are being mounted with strategical questions affecting both gun mounts at private dockyards countries, which were initiated three years ago, are being continued.

"In the course of these contacts, at questions affecting strategical considerations common to both countries are under review."-British Wireless.

Obligations To Belgium

CHUNGKING The Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, asked in the House of Commons, if, following the guarantee to Poland, the Government would enter A sensation has been eaused in into conversations with Holland, diplomatic circles here by a report Switzerland, Denmark and Belgium the with a view to similar undertakings to those countries, said he had nothing to add to the speech of the companied by Sir Archibald Kerr France Annister in Monday's debate Clark Kerr, the British Ambassador

He would remind the House that Britain already had treaty obligations towards Belgium.—British Wireless.

Talks In Rome

London, Apr. 5. It was stated in London to-day that the British Ambassador in Rome had visited Count Ciano, the Italian Foreign Minister yesterday, and discussed with him the winding up of the international anti-submarine discussed important problems relating patrol which was set up following the Nyon conference some eighteen months ago,-British Wireless.

ASSASSINS THWARTED

Jammed Gun Saves Life Of Guerilla

SHANGHAI, Apr. 5. A JAMMED GUN saved the life of Yang Tsai-san, a former guerilla chief of Changshu, a small town on the Shanghai-Nanking railway, and also re-The Air France plane from Hanoi sulted in the capture of a luckless assassin in French town shortly

after noon to-day. The assassin fired point blank when he saw Yang Tsal-san coming out of an alley, but he missed. He fired again but the gun-jammed."

. The sound of shooting attracted the rushed to the scone and captured Chungking, and Mr. Ching Wah- Chow.

ching, chief auditor of the karmer's

age and retired soon after the out- fence council in wartime?" break of hostilliles. United Press.

Rome. Apr. 5. The papers further point out that of the year.

Another 7,000 Italian, all heads of the families of these 7,000 applicants At-noch 10-day, the temperature 12 am 55.3 & am 55.7 ment has been asked by Signor At-noch 10-day, the temperature 12 am 57.7 16 a.m. 62.6 Mussolini to supply Italy with 2,500,-

Defensive Alliance

BRITAIN, POLAND

It is reported that the British Cabinet approved the

It is understood the Cabinet also dealt with the position of Rumania and other countries in the anti-aggression bloc, with Italy's intentions regarding Albania and Spain, with Germany's possible countermoves, and with the effects of the Ghazi's death on the future of

Reliable reports said the Polish Foreign Minister had made clear Poland's anxiety to assure Rumania's independence and also his hopes that Polish mediation between Rumania and Hungary may yet win Hungary away from Germany.

Beck's Reluctance Consequently, Colonel Beck is re- Foreign Minister.

THE CHANCELLOR of the luctant to pledge Polish help to guns were in stock to meet Duchy of Lancaster was asked Rumania against a German attack by the House of Commons if which would be made through Germany, or against a direct Hungarian noon. invasion, or both.

Britain regards Coloniel Beck's Germany as illusory, but these differ- along the lines of the France-Polish eness have undoubtedly changed the Alliance or adjusted to that alliance. role for which Rumania is east in the new "Halt Hitler" alignment. Colonel Beck also reaffirmed to Mr. Chamberlain and Lord Halifax that Poland will refuse any joint mutual assistance pact with Russia.

He suggested Poland would regard her interests amply micguarded in this respect if Britain concludes an Anglo-Russian pact, but so far there is no evidence of this. Colonel Beck stated that Poland wants the Soviet's benevolent neutrality without taking an active share in the new bloc, and Britain respects-this Polish attitude.

Obstacles Thus smooth salling has been encountered regarding the direct Anglo-Polish alliance, in contrast to the obstacles encountered regarding

Rumania, Hungary and Russia. Rumania, Hungary and Russia all till await a solution of the problem. 'Great Britain is staring a miniature naval display for Colonel Beck's benefit at Portsmouth on Thursday He will first go abourd the new aireraft carrier Ark Royal, then the cruiser Ginsgow, and finally the destroyer Tattar from which he will witness anti-aircraft gun practice. Colonel Beck is scheduled to en-

train for Warsaw on Friday at 2 p.m. after receiving the world's press representatives on Friday morning. In case his negotiations are not completed to-day, he has been asked to reserve Thursday evening for further conference with Britain's statesman in the Foreign Office .- United

German Press More Bitter

Berlin, Apr. 5. A noticeably sharper tone towards Poland than has prevailed in the last few days in the German press was adopted this evening by the "Deutsche Diplomatische Korrespondenz."

It rejects the rensons given by the Polish press for Poland's participation in the "latest diplomatic movements." The reasons stated were that the latest step by Germany had. shaken the confidence of the neighbouring States. ... In a tone of "astonishment," the

"Diplomaticshe Korrespondenz" state (Continued on Page 4.):

LONDON, Apr. 5.—A Polish spokesman states that Britain and Poland will sign the defensive alliance either to-day or to-morrow.

alliance at their regular meeting this morning.

PREMIER'S STATEMENT Joint Anglo-Polish Declaration

THE STATEMENT of the Prime Minister, Mr. Chamberlain, in the House of Commons to-morrow will be in the nature of a joint-Anglo-Polish declaration, "Trans-Ocean" learns from quarters close to the Polish

The text of the statement was approved on Wednesday after-

The statement will say that the Anglo-Polish declaration of assishopes of allenating. Hungary, from tance is in its essentials drawn up

Two Purposes

After a dinner at the Pollsh Legation this evening Colonel Beck had a lengthy conversation with Lord Holifax, when the Chief of the Eastern Department of the Foreign Office, Mr. William Strang, and the Polish Ambassador to London were . (Continued on Page 5.)

There will be no issue of the "Telegraph" To-morrow—Good Friday

LATEST

See Back Page For Further Late News

WANG CALLED CHINA'S "TRAITOR NO. 1"

COMMENTING ON Wang Ching-wei's recent revelation of the confidential report on the German good offices and intervention on the Sino-Japanese hostilities, competent Chinese political observers in Hongkong declare that by his own action it is now made clear that Wang Ching-wei is "China's Traitor No. 1."

record of Mr. 'Hsu Mo's report," a tion on December 22 last year was representative of the "Telegraph" bluntly rejected," said an official in was told, "how can Wang Ching-wei, Hongkong. a civillan now, possess a copy of the The German good offices and in-He is reported to have confessed record of the meeting of the Supreme tervention, he pointed out took that he is a policeman employed by National Defence Council, and what place before the fail of 'Nanking, the Tatao force. 'Nanking, man who de liveember 13, 1937, and prior to the Uberntely discibees a most esecret Japanese declaration of non-recogni-Yang Tsal-sun was sixty years of document of the supreme national de- tion of the Chinese Central Govern-

Trautmann's Offer

Mordeo Cliv. Apr. 5.—The Govern-Japanese: terms brought by Heir bassador to Japan was still in Tokyo.

12 a.m. 55.3 5 a.m. 55.8 2 a.m. 58.7 ment has been asked by Signor Trautmann in November, 1937 were bassador to Japan was still in Tokyo.

11 a.m. 57.4 5 a.m. 57.7 16 a.m. 62.0 Mussolini to supply Italy with 2.500.— Trautmann in November, 1937 were ties us a basis of negotiation to end - (Continued on Page 5.)

"If the statement is an authentic hostilities, and the Konoye Declara-

Furthermore, "diplomatic" relation between the two countries was not "It is plain to anyone why the severed during Herry Traumann's

GERMAN AIRMEN FORBIDDEN PUB-LOUNGING, WASSAILING

And No Smoking In The Streets

Goering's Appeal For Abstinence

BERLIN, April 5. AN APPEAL to German soldiers to practice moderation in smoking and drinking appears is the current issue of the German "Air Force Gazette", above the signature of Field-Marshal Hermann Goering.

Britain And

France Air

Control Bid

PARIS, Apr. 5.
THE former Minister for Air,

M. Eynac, to-day reported to

the International Diplomatic

Academy that Britain and

France will soon have the advantage over Germany in wat

planes, particularly in view of

the purchases from the United

According to M. Eynac's findings, German and Italian

production is about 900 planes monthly, while Britain and

France are producing 700 monthly, which will soon be

substantially increased, in view of the orders placed in the

United States .- United Press.

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New Course 0.20 R. C. Galrdner, G. Riddell-Carro, 8.28 J. W. Mayhow, Mrs. Smalley.

EASTER MONDAY

9.16 W. Woodward, C. W. E. Bishop.

9.50 C. E. Moore, A. Nichol.
9.40 Moore, Mrs. Nicol.
9.40 H. C. Millett, J. M. Pearson.
9.52 Mrs. Millett, Mrs. Pearson.
10.00 I. P. Tamworth, R. G. Parker.
10.08 E. Davidson, A. B. Raworth.

T. Yoxail, F. Groves.

10.25 W. J. S. Key, A. Sommerfelt, 10.30 W. J. E. Mackenzie, H. Oyery, 10.35 H. J. D. Lowe, J. Linaker, 10.40 F. D. Hunter, J. B. Mackie, 10.45 C. H. Burton, J. Forbes, 10.50 T. Low, J. Harrop.

build big ships.-United Press.

.10.24 Mrs. Duncan, Mrs. Pearson.

0.20 I, H. Genre, H. F. Phillips,

for any emergency.

(6) Sale of foreign wine in officers' tion of a Navy second to none,

loyalty."

IN A speech at the National

New York, Apr. 5.

URGES

It is one of the prime duties of a soldier, says this appeal, to refrain from doing anything that might impair his health. This duty places him under the compulsion of practising a high degree of abstinence in the indulgence or the desire for alcohol

and nicotine. There were times when people admired a man who could stand a lot of drinks. But that has become a worn out notion. It has been proved time and again that an excessive industrence in drink is mainly responsible for such actions as bringing the perpetrators before a military court.

Apart from this, excessive induigence in cigarettes is injurious to the health

of young people.
One of the cardinal sims of the National-Socialist policy is to increase the population of Greater Germany. In the light of this policy, says Field-Marshal Goering, it becomes a point of honour with every German soldier to join the fight against alcohol and nicotine, seeing that an excessive indulgence in these poisons might very well, in the course of time, damage racial potency to such an extent as to imperil the procreation

of a healthy new generation, Moreover, by reducing the con-sumption of alcohol and tobacco, the nation effects a saving of foreign exchange, which can then be used for the purchase of other raw materials

needed by Germany. "I do not contemplate condemning smoking and drinking altogether. shall combat, however, the misuse of these intoxicants.

PROHIBITIONS "To this end I prohibit within the domain of the Air Force the follow-

~ (1) Setting up of special bars in the officers' messes and canteens. -(2)-Pub-lounging.

(3) Wassailing. (4) Serving drinks to soldiers who Louis Johnson, the Assistant see already under the influence of Secretary of War, urged indus-(5) Indulgence in alcohol im- trialists to support re-armament mediately before or during service.

(7) Smoking Trans-Occan.

Golf

Starting Times At Fanling

GOOD FRIDAY

Old Course
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920 N. R. Littlejon, I. R. Cramer.
924 R. H. Gregory, L. R. Cramer.
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Perkins.

10.48 J. S. Dunnett, A. M. Mack.

10.52 Cdr. Murray, J. W. Mayhew.

10.53 R. G. Parker, S. C. Feltham.

11.00 F. Groves, J. Stenersen.

11.04 A. T. Lay, L. M. S. Lloyd.

11.08 F. D. Hunter, K. S. Morrison.

11.12 R. S. Harrison, G. Riddell-Carro.

11.16 J. Harrop, D. L. Prophet.

9.20 H. & Mrs. Overy. 0.70 Mrs. Smalley. Mrs. Edward. 9.30 W. A. Cornell, S. T. Bullin 9.40 Mrs. Androwes, Miss Tylor. 10.24 Mrs. Leiper, Mrs. Crabbe. 10.32 Mrs. Pearson, Mrs. Skinner. 10A4 Mrs. Rose, Mrs., Steele Perkins.

SATURDAY

1.32 F.E. the Governor, S. H. Dodwell. 9.16 G. T. Horrington, R. C. Gairdner. 9.20 P. Morrison, L. M. S. Lloyd. 9.24 W/Cdr. Steels Perkins, T. Megarry. 9.24 W/Cdr. Steeld Perkins, L. Megatt.
9.21 W. Hewitt, R. H. Gregory.
9.12 Col. Collin. Brig. McLeod.
9.34 A. Murdoch. A. B. Raworth.
9.40 A. T. Lay, D. Humphreys.
9.44 E. Laidiaw, J. W. Mayhew.
9.48 D. H. Blake, I. H. Geahe.
9.52 I/H. C. Highet, R. O. Gray.
9.55 C. C. Black, G. C. Worrall.
10.24 L. A. R. Duncan, J. M. Pearson.

New Courke,

Empire's Youth Fine Response

LONDON, Apr. 5. OVERSEAS candidates the dominions and colonies have been accepted for commissions as pilots in the Royal Air Force during the past year, said Sir Kingsley Wood in the House of Commons to-day.

· He added: "The House will agree this is a very helpful contribution."-Reuter Special.

U.S. Cotton Problem

SITUATION HIGHLY **OBSCURE**

New Plan Suggested

WASHINGTON, Apr. 5. THE legislative outlook for away when the raiders left. to-day when Representative that name; close by is the market Marvin Jones, chairman of the known as Sam Woh, and across the House Agriculture Committee river is Hotungchik Market, which labelled the Senate-approved was first entered.

Entry was effected about 8.30 in Bankhead Bill as inadequate, the evening, and the guerillas did not \$100,000,000 to expand the farm rifles. markets.

of loan cotton.

Meanwhile, a series of conferences other agriculture products as a sub- cse. stitute for all other schemes for the relief of the farm problem.

would be at least \$270,000,000. In the meantime, it is reported Three pawnshops were the heaviest

take no action with regard to the \$100,000. Bankhend Bill.-Reuter.

Germany's Blue Riband Challenge

He said private industry must "get behind and stay behind" the arms BERLIN, Apr. 5.
GERMANY is to make a bid to expansion programme.

He praised private co-operation so Atlantic by replacing the Bremen far, and said that President Roosevelt and the Europa with two more had recently "in the revival of the modern liners.

This was announced by Dr. Dorpindustry, been playing a leading vital role, and I am conscious of its muchler, Minister of Transport,

World Economics.

strength, it will not reach the soon as possible. CURRENCY WALL

wall around her, to adopt special on youth. methods in order to solve the proconstruct her internal economic to the youth of Japan,

in 1929, the same year made a record west-bound crossing at a speed of 27.83 knoss. The Europa (49,746 tons), built in 1928, did the same crossing in 1930. Her speed was 27.01 knots. The present west-bound record is the Queen Mary's 30.99 knots. Eastward, the best run is her 31.60 knots.]

VLADIVOSTOK, Apr. 5.—The 10.50 T. Low, J. Harrop,
10.55 H. H. Beddow, H. G. Wallington.
11.00 R. H. Gregory, E. T. McMullen.
11.05 J. Stenersen, W. G. Robertson.
11.10 G. C. Worrall, P. S. Delany.
11.15 R. M. Wood, J. E. Richardson.
11.20 Col. Gowlland, Major Johnstone.
11.25 T. R. Howell, D. J. Valentine.
11.25 A. D. Humphreys, F. J. de Rome.
11.25 K. S. Robertson, W. W. C. Shewan.
11.40 Col. King. Col. Matthews. fisheries auction was completed today with Japanese getting the 254 lots as was expected, at a 10 per cent. increase in price.—United Press.

0.24 G. Riddell-Carre, R. S. Harrison, 0.28 C. C. Black, D. H. Blake, 0.28 C. C. Black, D. H. Blake,
0.32 P. S. Casady, K. S. Morrison,
0.30 J. C. Brown, L. Jackson,
0.40 E. G. Paggiano, J. W. Mayhew.
0.44 A. D. Humphreys, I. H. Couro,
0.48 L. R. Andrewes, T. Megarry.
0.52 W/Cdr. Steele Perkins, Js. Murdoch.
0.56 B. D. Evans, D. D. Forbes.
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10.20 A. McKellar, N. K. Littlejotin,
10.23 W. Sharp, A. A. Bremner,
10.23 C. D. N. Walker, M. G. Carruthers,
10.40 General Grasett, B. H. Dodwell.
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10.24 G. & Mrs. Casile.
10.22 Mrs. Overy, Mrs. Macketizie.
10.40 D. L. Strelleit', D. D. Forbes'.
10.48 G. T. Harrington', R. G. Gray'.
10.57 W. S. E. Jemos', F. A. M. Elliott'.
11.00 V. E. & Mrs. Dictos.
11.24 Mrs. Valentino, Mrs. Rowell.
"Unsuccessful for places on Old Course. New Course 9.20 Mrs. Woodward, Mrs. Bishop.
9.28 W. N. A. Smalley, R. M. Pearce.
9.32 Mrs. Smalley, Mrs. Pearce.
9.40 V. E. & Mrs. Duclos.
10.33 Capt. Wylle, Capt. St. John.

GUERILLA RAID ON YIMPO

Spend Five Hours "Mopping Up" Canton Suburb

(By Our Own Corresponden) CANTON, Apr. 4.

THE FACTORY centre known as Yimpo, not far from Fatshan, was visited by more than 1,000 guerillas on March 28, particulars of the raid only now having reached Canton. After their ammunition supply ran out, the guards at the headquarters of the "puppet" Government had to submit, the place was set on fire, and all connected with the government who could be found were taken

was further confused towns. There is a market that bears

and at the same time proposed finish "cleaning up" the three places the appropriation of \$300,000,- until after 2 o'clock the next mornwere for parity payments, and small machine-guns, and over 800

Thirty Yimpo policemen were killled resisting the Chinese irregulars. Representative Jones favours a Four of the clerks at the government subsidy to increase domestic cotton headquarters also died when they consumption, together with a bounty were besieged. Altogether 40 per-to the farmers to secure the release sons living in Yimpo were taken away as prisoners. All were suspected of being in the scrvice of the "puppet" government. Few places were enterof Senators, resulted in the decision ed excepting those supposed to be the to introduce a Bill providing parity homes or business places of persons payments not only for cotton, but giving active support to the Japan-

The small boats in which the guerillas had come were filled with the look taken away, and two passage The Bill may form an amendment boats were borrowed for the removal to the original Smith Bill, or the redrafted Smith Bill, and funds asked days later they were both returned.

PAWNSHOPS RAIDED that the House of Representatives losers by this raid. Stripped of Agriculture Committee agreed to everything, the combined loss exceeds

Every member of this guerillas party wore an armband that designated him as belonging to the guerilla force of the Central Government. Yimpo was thickly plastered with propagandist placards before the guerillas left.

Japan's New Cinema Restrictions

Tokyo, Apr. 5. A new law comes into force on October 1 in Japan by which juveniles are forbidden to visit speaking to the German Society for cinema performances at which love scenes are depicted on the screen. Rear Admiral Woodward said World Economics.

despite the speed with which the He also said that Germany must Education, the purport of this law Navy is seeking to increase its return to normal methods of trade as has been explained to film producers and distributors.

The prohibition also applies to films in which games of chance are Germany, he added, had been depicted, if the censor considers that forced to build a foreign currency these scenes might have a bad effect

In future, only artistic and culturblems of unemployment and to re- ally valuable films are to be shown

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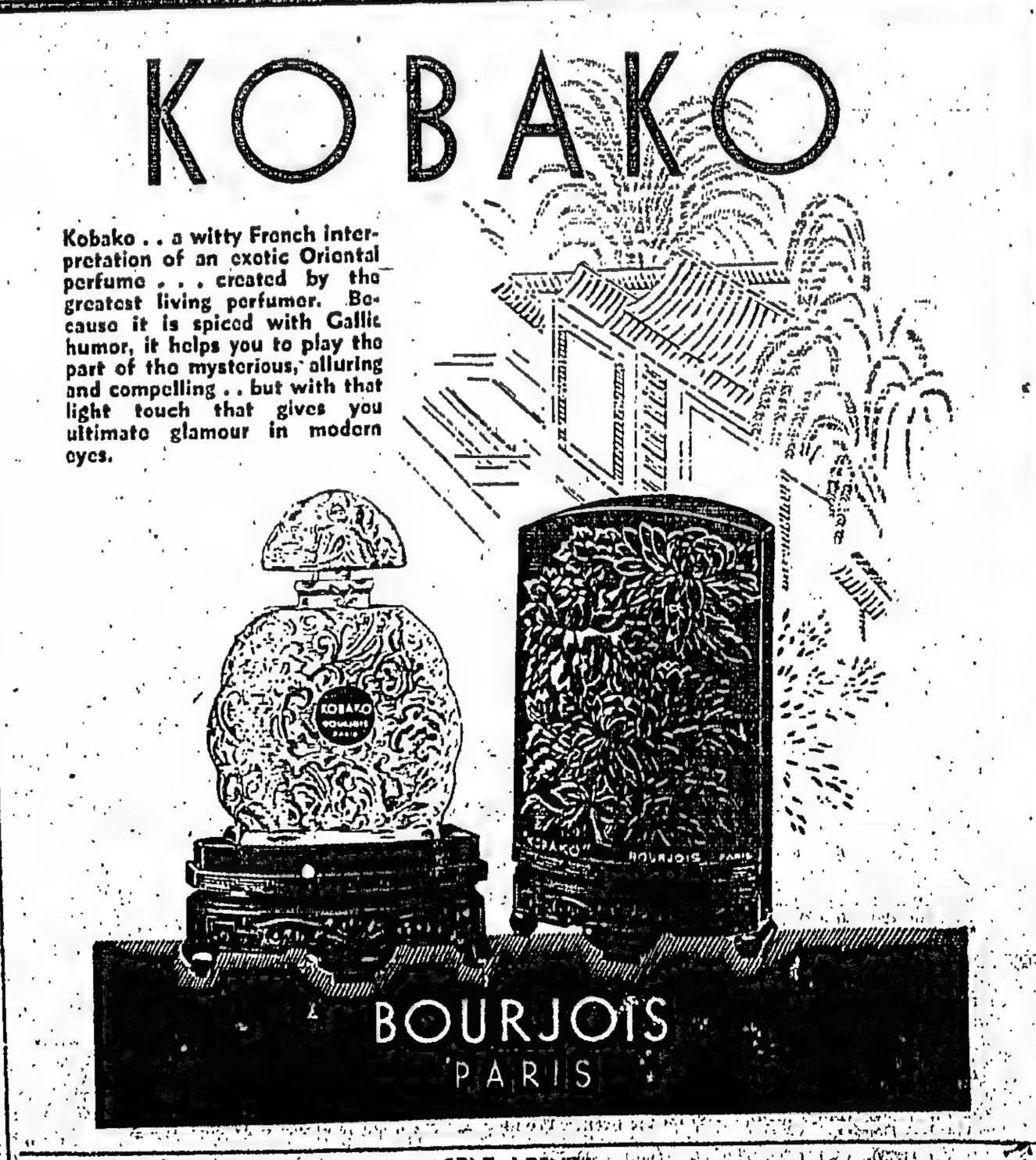
Irish Police And Scotland

London, Apr. 5. Two high officials of the North Irish C.I.D., arrived in London this evening to confer with representatives of Scotland . Yard concerning the threats of the Irish Republican Army, said to have been broadeast on Tuesday night by a secret wireless transmitter semewhere in Northern. Ireland, which ordered all members of the I.R.A. to be ready to march at the word of command, which would be issued in a few

The announcer is said to have referred to orders that were already in the hands of members of the I.R.A., in England, Ireland and

Canada. It is feared in London that a new wave of outrages is projected during the next few days .-- Trans-Ocean.





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Mr. Ma Hsiang-po Showered With Congratulations

CHUNGKING, April 6. MR. MA HSIANG-PO, State Councillor, is celebrating his 100th birthday anniversary in Kwangsi to-day.

The National Government yesterday issued mandate highly commending the centenarian for his distinguished services for the country at the present orisis despite his advanced years.

Iraq Regret

Expressed

Murder Of British

Consul At Mosul

Mr. Neville Chamberlain also ex-

Accidental

Baghdad, Apr. 5.

Commons to-day.

LONDON, Apr. 5.

Mr. Lin Sen, Chairman of the National Government, has sent a message of congratulation to Mr. Ma. Other high Government leaders, including Dr. H. H. Kung, President of the Executive Yuan, General Ho Chien, Minister of Interior, Dr. Wang Chung-hui, Minister for Foreign Affairs, General Ho Ying-ching, Minister of War, Dr. W. H. Wong, Minister of Economics, and Mr. Chen Li-fu, Minister of Education, have also sent similar messages to him. Consul at Mosul, who was stoned Celebrations in Chungking for Mr. Ma's birthday will be held at the Bankers' Club at five o'clock this

afternoon. All papers here to-day issued special supplements in celebration of the occasion.

CENTENARIAN'S CAREER

A Native of Chinklang, Klangsu, pressed the House's deep sympathy over the death of King Ghazi (in to Shanghai with his parents during connection with which flags were the Boxer Uprising and attended St. flown at half-mast on all public Ignatius College at Siccawei, study- buildings in London to-day). ing philosophy and other subjects. After graduation, he entered not the slightest foundation for the Government service and served as allegations of agitators that secretary for foreign affairs to British Government was in some way Department, and Mrs. Russel. Viceroy Li Hung-chang and Inter responsible for King Ghazi's death, was commissioned successively to The Iraq Prime Minister had in-Korea, America and other countries, formed the British Charge d'Affaires He was the founder of the Aurora that a public expression of regret and Fuh Tan Universities in Shang- would be passed by the Iraq Parlia- at 5 o'clock this afternoon. hai. A well-known Chinese and ment; that Mr. Monekmason would Latin scholar, he is author of many | be accorded a public funeral with full

Spiritualism). still in sound health and energetic in ment's property.—Reuter, public service and authorship. He was appointed State Councillor, the National Government in January, 1937.—Central News.

Bitter Feeling Against C. W. Wang

BITTER feeling against Wang Francisco, Ching-wel, the expelled vice-president of the Kuomintang, is prevailing nese circles here.

Evidence of the existence of of the Central Government.

penalty will be shortly pronounced San Francisco first, the government and his nation.

in subversive activities in Hanol, ness. THE GOVERNMENT'S profound regret at the tragic death Hongkong. Shanghal and Nanking are said to be taking great precaution of Mr. Monckmason, the British against attacks on their lives by Chinese underground patriotic societies. It is reported that a certain official to death by an Iraqi crowd of who was formerly connected with the mourners following the an- Ministry of Foreign Affairs, has just ahead of schedule. nouncement of the death of King arrived in Hongkong after a secret Ghazi, was expressed by the mission to Tokyo on behalf of Wang Prime Minister in the House of

Baby Dies In Q. M. Hospital

The death occurred in the Queen Mary last night of Jacqueline Mavis, Mr. Chamberlain said there was the 31/2-year-old daughter of Inspector W. A. Russel, of the Police

The child was admitted to hospital n few days ago. She was the only claughter, and had two clder brothers, The funeral will pass the Monument

works, the best known of which is honours, and that a suitable grant death states: "The erash was purely accidental. "History of Ning Hsing" (History of would be made to Mr. Monekmason's I therefore, have decided to close the offices. dependents, and reparation for In splie of his advanced age, he is damage caused to the British Govern- case, as there is no suspicion of a eriminal act."

The magistrate examined two passengers who were in the car at In his published findings, the the time, and who are now in hospital magistrate investigating King Ghazi's suffering from injuries.—Reuter.

CLIPPER HOPS OFF FROM H.K.

Takes 5 Passengers

The California Clipper took off from Ka. Tak at 9.10 this morning with passengers and mail for San

On board were Mrs. Mary Mein Chungking ofter the disclosure of Clintock who is Joining her husband the plieged secret agreement between at Manila; Jerome J. Beatty on a Weng and Paron Hiranuma, Japan's tour to collect material for the arti- the Sovietisation of China, Primier, for overthrowing the Chi- cles which have made his name ness Central Government, it is learn- well known. Mr. Beatly is stopping ed from usually well-informed Chi- over at Manila and getting off the the Fiji Islands. .

the same source, is in the logical expert on the Guam-Honghands of the intelligence service kong section of the line. After makling the trip regularly for months be has now been transferred to the It is believed that a very severe New Zealand run but is returning to

by the Chungking authorities, against | Mr. M. S. Polin, representative of Wang Ching-wei for his betrayal of Douglas aircraft in China, and Mr. N. Allman, well-known Shanghai Wang's Tollowers who participate lawyer, are going to Manila on busi-

CLIPPER ARRIVES FROM HONGKONG

San Francisco, Apr. 5. The Honolulu Clipper landed here from Hongkong -- to-day an hour vitally influence history.

Abourd were 14 passengers, inrluding Doris Duke and Jimmy tour of painstaking surveys. Cromwell, the tobacco heiress and her husband, who visited Hongkong a few years ago .- Reuter.

Anti-Italian Order In Malta Claimed

Rome, Apr. 5. The "Correspondence For Vatican Information" announced to-day that the British Governor at Malta had issued an order, according to which birth, baptism or death certificates in the Italian language will no longer be recognised by the civil registry that the obligations under the League

the Catholic Church," writes the other Powers.-British Wircless, "Correspondence," adding "for the civil law of Malta authorises Catholle priests to make out these documents and all marriages solemnised before a Catholic priest are valid by law without further formality. But the language of the Catholic diocese of Malta has been Italian for hundreds of years."

The newspaper expects that the ecclesiation authorities will not fall to raise a protest against this alleged violation of their rights.-Trans-

French Seaman Buried Here

Able Seamon Eugene Berthou, 25 who died on board the French sloop Tahure, was buried at the Catholic Cemetery this morning.

The sloop having left port earlier n the morning the chief mourners were the Vice Consul General for France, M. C. Renner, and the Chief of the Medical service of the French Navy in the Far East. The French Naval Chaplain, M. Escalere, officiat-

French Consulate and the

AT ALL STORES

British Loan Is Criticised

Shanghai Apr. 5.
The "Mainichi" to-day criticised Britain's aid to Chiang Kai-shek which, the paper said, is only serving to lengthen the war and increase the sufferings of the people.

The article said: "Britain has no other object than a purely utilitarian ambition to devour China for her own benefit, rather than assisting the Chinng Kai-shek regime.

"While in the eyes of the Soviet there is absolutely nothing, no China, no regime, no Chiang, nothing except "Britain and the Soviet have been

Areading friendly co-operation be twien China and Japan from the plane at Hanoldiu to take a trip to outset. By interfering with Japan's policy towards China they have been preventing Japan and China from Mr. B. Buxton, another passenger, establishing friendly relations.-

Nazis In Tibet

New York, Apr. 5. The New York "World Telegram" in an interview with Theo S. Bernard, who is alleged to be the only white initiated Buddhist monk of one of the Holy Issals Sacred Lamasseries, said that Tibet has become another of the dictators' goals, which fact may soon

Mr. Bernard said six weeks ago u Nazi expedition entered Tibet on a Also he said that Japanese are

filtering in and are "practically memorising the country." Italy is sending a continuous stream of men "ostensibly on scientifle work" into Tibet.

This he said, is strategically, important, because the airlines to the west fall conveniently across Tibet, which has plentiful natural resources.—United Press.

League Covenant Not Forgotten

London, Apr. 5. In the House of Commons the Covenant would be fully borne in "This is violation of the rights of mind in the present negotiations with

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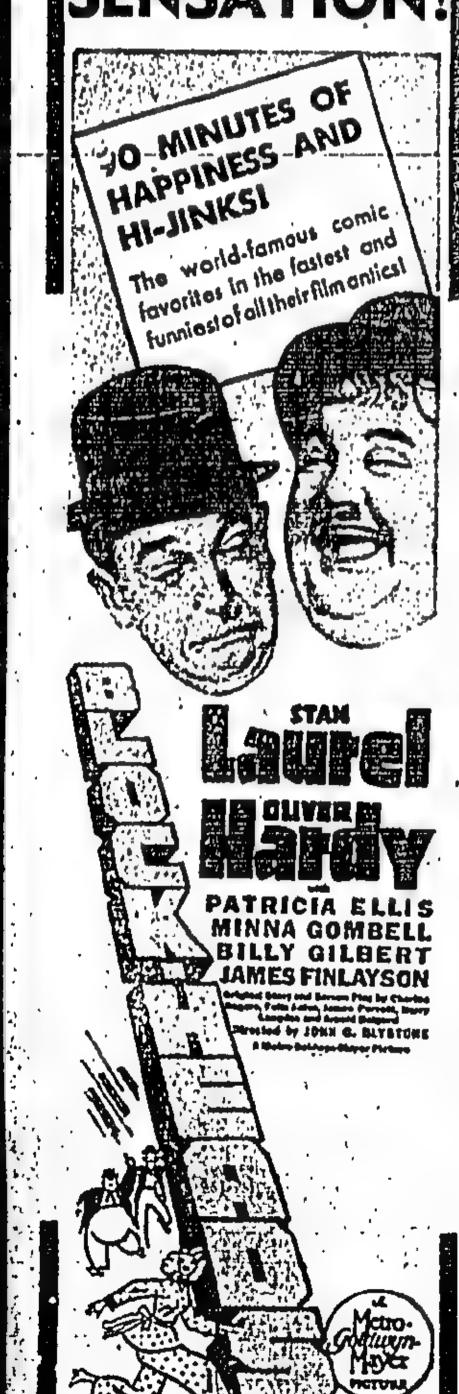
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Peak Depot 7.00 to 10.00 a.m. Cafe Wiseman Open as usual. All other departments will be

SATURDAY, 8TH APRIL—ALL DEPARTMENTS OPEN AS USUAL

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In accordance with Government Ordinance, The Exchange Banks will be closed for the transactions of Public Business on Friday, Saturday and Monday, the 7th., 8th. and 10th. April, 1939. Hongkong, 4th April, 1939.

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HONG KONG.

Examination for Local Clerks

Applicants are informed that those selected to attend the examination on 11th April will be notified separately.

No further applications can be considered.

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The Transfer Register will be closed from April 10th to 22nd, 1939 inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

M. Y. TANG, Chief Manager. Hongkong, April 1, 1939.

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Responding to a signal light and hearing a woman pleading: "My God, despite his wife's protests."

PARTICULARS & CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Tuesday, the 11th day of April, 1939, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Ma Tau Chung, in the Colony of Hong Kong, for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the KING, for one further term of 75 years.

Intending bidders are advised that immediately after the disposal of the lot the Purchaser (if not the applicant) will be required to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars, (\$200) in cash. This sum will be refunded on payment of the Purchase price. PARTICULARS OF THE LOT.

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64	Lot No. 4133,	Junction of Ma Tau Chung Road & Kwangsi St., Ma Tau Chung.	As per plan	ent feet	About 4,030	. \$46	\$3,423

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don't do it," a telephone operator called police and sent them to the homes of four subscribers sharing the party line. At a home on Johnson Street the "crime" was solved. Unable to operate the newly-installed dial phone, an agitated man had thrown the instrument to the floor despite his wife's protests. CLOVE, S. C. ran most of the way home.

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REFUGEE MUI-TSAI Alleged Ill-Treatment Of

Unregistered Girl

years, with the option of re- by her mother as security for a loan. The case was adjourned to toof \$70. The girl and defendant come morrow for the translation of certain to Hongkong on June 6 as refugees. A few days ago the girl's mother the girl.

4	Kowloon inland Lot No. 4136.	d Ma Tau Rok Bo	as per salo plan.	About 8,439	95\$	\$6.323
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documents relating to the transfer of

COMPREHENSIVE SELECTION FOR LADIES AND GENTLEMEN

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BRITAIN, POLAND SIGN MILITARY PACT THIS WEEK

6 Studio-Children's Hour.

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Ma Tau Chung, in the Colony of Fraser, attached to the S.C.A., the defendant taught her to read books. Hong Kong, for a term of 75 Canton when she was six years old who had a son and daughter.

Inestre Orenestra with Reginald argued that Germany's Foort at the Organ; Vocal—Long had shaken confidence. Alle Of Fraser, attached to the S.C.A., the defendant taught her to read books. Foort at the Organ; Vocal—Long had shaken confidence. Alle Of Fraser. Cheers for Love')...Frances Lang-ford with Victor Young and His Orchestra: Dance Orchestra—Missouri Waltz (Shannon and Eppel).... a review of Polish conduct in the last Victor Young and His Orchestra; few months is instructive. Quite Comedian—I Blew A Little Blast On apart from the fact that Poland is an My Whistle (Formby) and In My ally of France, on her own initiative, Little Snapshot Album (film 'I See and without the assistance of Munich, ice').... George Formby and His forced her territorial claims against Ukulele with Orchestra; Dance Or- the Czech allies of France exactly in chestra—Yes, There Ain't No Moon- the same manner as Germany did, so light—Fox-Trot and I Hadn't Anyone that reproaches against Germany Till You—Fox-Trot....Tommy Tuck- could, with the same right, be made er and His Orchestra with Vocal against Poland. Refrain; Vocal-When Did You Leave Heaven? (film 'Sing, Baby, "Not only by Hungary, but also by Sing') and Deep Shadows (Meskill- Poland, abolition of the independence White)....Frances Langford with of Ruthenia was demanded with the Victor Young and His Orchestra; utmost vigour. But since all that is Yodler—Sitting In A Jail House of no particular moment to-day, other (Torrani) and Dan, Dan, The Yodel- reasons, other motives, and other ling Man (Torrani) Harry Torrani methods must have been the cause Mandoline Orchestra—Waltz Mem- London, but which are, for good rea-ories....Troise and His Mandoliers sons, kept in the background. with Vocal by Don Carlos; Comedian -Trailing Around In A Trailer (Gif-

ford and Cliff) and Said The Little Brown Hen (Gifford, Cliff, Formby)
....George Formby and His Ukulele with Orchestra; Dance Orchestra-Silver On The Sage-Fox-Trot (film 'The Texans') and There's A Brand New Picture In My Picture Frame—Fox-Trot.... Tommy Tucker and His Orchestra with Vocal Refrain.

8 Time, Weather and Announce-

8.03 B.B.C. Recording-"Monsieur Beaucaire."

Adapted for Broadcasting from Booth Tarkington's novel and the light opera libretto by Frederick Lonsdale, by Gordon McConnel. Lyrics by Adrian Ross. Music by Andre Messager. Produced by Gor-don McConnel and Rex Haworth. 9.15 London Relay-The News.

9.30 London Relay-'World Affairs.' By H. Wickham Stred. 0.45 London Re'sy-Sports News and Market Notes. 9.50 Pairicia Rosaborough at the

Snow White and The Seven Dwarfs second stage of the war, the greater—Selection (Morey and Churchill); portion of these notes have been in

Heels-Selection. 10. London Relay-'Domino.' A radio play by R. P. Hughes. Characters: Big Joe; Nellie; Alf, in spite of various measures taken her husband; Edwards; Archie; by the Japanese these notes are still Maccherson; Miss Macpherson; 1st widely circulated. Their premium is laid in a steelworks, and in a \$25 recently.

Cares Away and I'm Singing A Song For The Old Folks ... The Organ, (film 'Sing," you Sinners') and On have no reserves to back them. The Dumpy Road To Love ... Teddy Wilson and His Orchestra with Vocal

10.35 Dance Music.

with Vocal Refrain; Fox-Trots-Georgia's Gotta Moon and Rhythm principle.

In The Alphabet....The Six Swingers directed by George Scott Wood rency in spite of the Chinese curwith Vocal Chorus.

with Vocal Chorus. 11. Close Down.

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STOCKS: The rumours of a rapprochement between Poland and

Germany helped the market to look higher to-day, but the

We favour Douglas Aircraft and Glen Martin of area. The week's electricity output was 12 per cent, over the

The chemical industry expects lower profits for the second-

quarter. The Southern Pacific Railroad Company during

· February suffered a loss of \$2,000,000. The American

Tobacco Company's first-quarter sales were substantially above those of last year. The first-quarter increase in telephones by the American Telephone Company is the

second highest in eight years. The statistical position of

the oil industry has improved. The first cut in gasolene inventory in four months has been recorded and there has

been a slight curtailment in the output of crude oil.

Dow-Jones estimates the first-quarter profit of Du Pont

de Nemours at \$1.47 per share; Union Carbide \$0.60 and

COTTON: The market declined on reports of the defeat of the

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Ally Of Franco

"Not only by Hungary, but also by

"At all events, it is not possible to foresee from Berlin in what direction, Polish policy under the influence of London, will turn."-Trans-Occan

CHINA'S CURRENCY

Remains Stable In Spite Of Pressure

Chungking, Apr. 5. Designs of the Japanese and puppet authorities to undermine the Chinese legal tender in North China and enforce the circulation of notes issued by the bogus Federated Reserve Bank will fail, declared an eminent Chinese

According to a reliable estimate up

till January 21 more than \$320,000,000 worth of the legal tender notes were in circulation in the Pelping-Tientsin area. Since the beginning, of the Sailing Along-Selection; Head Over the Legation Quarters in Pelping, the British and French Concessions in Tientsin and in the hands of Chinese civilians in the rural districts. Workman; 2nd Workman; The scene has even increased from about \$15 to

house near-by; Produced by Edward On the contrary, notes of the bogus Federated Reserve Bank have deprecinted from their face value of \$1,000 Fox-Trots-Smile and Sing Your to between \$886 and \$878.

In contrast to the sound status of The Dance Band and Me (Piano); the legal tender notes the bogus notes Fox-Trois-Laugh and Call It Love are discredited by the public as they

The economist cited moneter by Nan Wann; Fox-Trois-Day After meories to prove that his bosts notes.

Day and There's A New Apple Tree can not enjoy a smooth circulation.

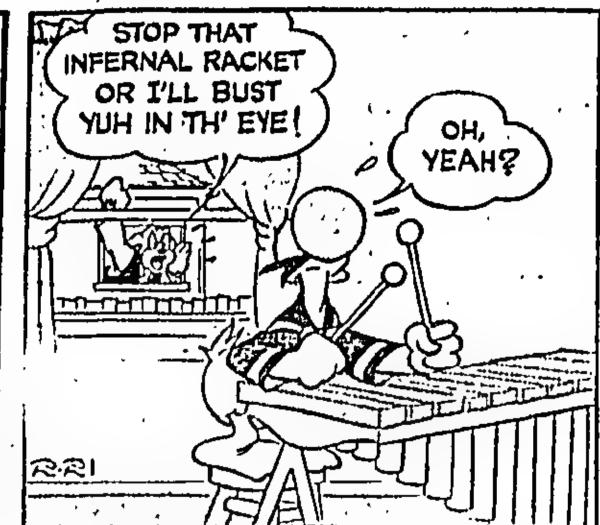
That paper currency must be backed. Jack Hylton and His Orchestra by strong credit is an established

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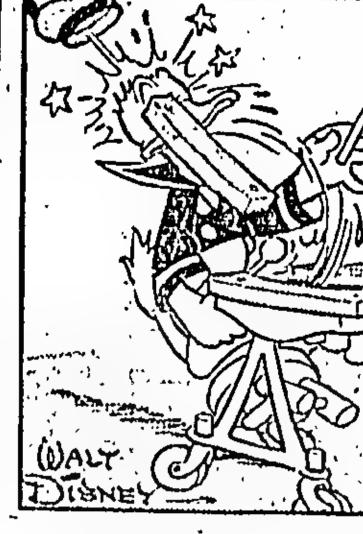
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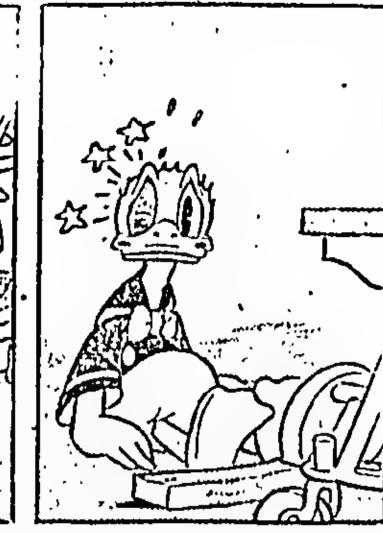
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Constable

COMPANY SECRETARIES TOLD-

FILE SHARES OR BE FINED

THE ATTENTION of secretaries of companies to the heavy penalty involved Club stables for failing to file the return of an allotment of shares in time was drawn by the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl MacGregor in the Supreme Court this morning, during the hearing of an application by the New Asiatic Chemical Works, Ltd.

The application was for an extension observation at of time to file an allotment of 2,040 shares. | Club stables.

Appearing for the Company, | Mr. H. C. Macnamara, who was instructed by Mr. H. N. Chau, said that the firm was formed early last year. The reason why the allotment was not filed was because the directors were ignorant of the law.

His Lordship remarked that apparently secretaries of companies were too busy to acquaint themselves with the law.

"At the same time they should know of another clause in the Companies Ordinance which involves a Yuk-tsun, dancing hostesses, very heavy penalty indeed.

"As I have given no previous warning about this, I will now point out assault. that in future the authorities will be perfectly_justified_in_deciding_which.i course to take.

The Company was allowed seven days to file the shares.

Montana Cowboys

Great Falls, Mont. Montana cowboys, have decided that with the steady decrease in the cowboy profession something must be year.
done to perpetuate the tradition. "I was the one who was assaulted," With one Montana Cowboys associa-· tion already in existence, a second sign a bond?" one is now being organised in the "The alternative is a month in Billings district. Membership will gool," the Magistrate sold. be open only to bona fide cowboys! "I prefer to go to prison. I did and to the sons and daughters of not commit an offence," she said old-time range riders.

COLLECTED BUTTS FROM GUTTERS

"RE-CONDITIONED" CIGARETTES ON SALE

atterwards.

TWO CENTS for a packet of ten cigarettes-in Players' cigaratte boxes- were displayed by Av Cheuk. 39. unemployed, said that one of the woman's cars was in a Wanchai Street. He was arrested by Sergeant F. Weare and was charged before Mr. T. J. Houston at the Central Magistracy this morning with manufacturing cigarettes without a licence.

It was said that the defendant! made eigarettes himself by using Rumania eigarette-butts picked up in the streets.

When these eigurettes were made, defendant would put them in whatever kind of boxes he managed to

When arrested he had four boxes of his self-made eigarettes in Players'

A fine of \$25 or a month's hard labour was imposed.

"His Worship" observed that "the

elgarettes Au picked up from the moved troops towards the Bulgarian streets had been discarded and smoked by people with all kinds of reservists recently demobilised. discuses,

"It is highly dangerous for others malangin inquired from Berlin if and of Mr. Nigel Mayne Wilfred Harris.

Five-Year-Old Girl Bitten A B U L L terrier which

was being taken by Mrs. R. Duncan, of 2 Fortress Hill, yesterday, bit her daughter. Jennifer, aged were leaving

treated privately for her injuries. The dog is being kept under

for a loan of money. Cheung alleged

her with their fists.

that Chan and Leung then assaulted |

His Worship ordered the complain-

ant and the defendants to sign bonds

of \$25 to be of good behaviour for a

complained Chaung. "Why should l

Further

Reservists

Called Up

Rumania has sent another infantry

regiment to the Bulgarian border

following reports that Bulgaria had

frontier. It is understood also that

Bucharest, Apr. 5.

Bribe:

AN INDIAN CONSTABLE who joined the Hongkong Police Force less than two years ago was sent to prison for three months this morning for accepting bribes.

His plea for the substitution of a fine was refused by the Magistrate, Mr. R. A. D. Forrest, who made trenchant remarks concerning the prevalence of bribery in Hongkong, and the difficulty of bringing dishonest officials to justice.

Singh. He was charged old unlicensed hawker. with extorting two cents | During evidence, yesterday extorting two cents from Crown.

The constable was Piara Tsui Ping-chuen, a 14-year-

from a licensed hawker, Lo the third Magistrate, Mr. T. J. Kam, at Wanchai, and with Houston, was a witness for the

The revelation that the case was The revelation that the case was brought into Court hurriedly be-negotiate with the Japanese at that only in the London reports of the the principal witheses was about undeclared war on China. to absoond was plade by Inspector A. V. Baker, during this morning's

Constable's Evidence

Defendant went into the witness box to give evidence on his own behalf when the case resumed.

fendant said.

who ordered me to arrest a man and Ching-wei. take him to the police station. "I did so. At the station I was

asked if I knew the man, and replied that I did not. I was then sent back .o my 'beat.' ---"Tarze-hours-later -1-was-recalled, and was then informed that I would

be charged with accepting a bribe. .!!! Am A New Man"

"Why was I not told of this when I first went back to the station? have not taken any money. I don't know the Chinese who was said have been with me at the time. never asked him to collect money ne, nor did I ask the hawkers live money to him for me.

"I am a new man here, and I can-10t sptak or understand Cantonese don't know how to collect money; s not within the sphere of my polic work. I cannot understand why the charge has been brought against me The Magistrate refused to accept Jefendant's statement. "What is this man's record?"

"He has an extraordinarily good lations. character." he said.

"Common Knowledge"

extraordinarily goods character, the more certain?" fact remains that the charge is one of the most serious a police officer can commit,". the Magistrate said.

always extremely difficult to find ev'dence sufficient to bring a case before the Court. ""I myself have seen this sort of thing going on in the Colony's streets, and have been informed by

"I-think it is common knowledge

that this practice has been going

on from very early times, and it is

Burglar Errs

29, was similarly charged, and also ing the second Balkan war.— and Mrs. II. Martin Little of Shang- 24 bottles of what was presumably fined \$25 or a month's hard inhour United Press.

hal.

beer. But it was mineral water.

Chickens Are Fascists!

Canaries are democratic.
Chickens are Fascist.
Well, anyway, that's what
Professor W. C. Allee, of Chicago, says, and he has been studying the group behaviour of

has

appear to have developed the sort of organisation characteristie of a military system or Fascist state," he says, "but pigeons and canaries are more democratic."

The social heirarchy of chickens, caparles, and men may have much in common, he says.

Wang "Traitor Number One"

cause the Crown feared that one of time if they were sincere to end the paper, is reflected, however, in the

"I was on my beat' in Wancha! How could the Central Government Road when Mr. Houston (the Third put herself in a position to negotiate Magistrate who gave evidence yester- with the Japanese Government on an Hungarian Foreign Minister, says day) came up and called me," de- equal fcoting? In what other way to-night, that it had not escaped the could the Central Government treat attention of British circles that after Konoye's declaration other than by the war Rumania incorporated large "I turned and saluted Mr. Houston, blunt rejection? he asked. Wang Hungarian territories, and that it was

in Nanking was much weaker than position .- Trans-Ocean. a_year_later, _when - Prince _Konoye made his "peace" declaration, according to the Chinese soldier who had participated in the famous Battle of Talerchwang,

Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek had only 30 per cent. of his forces able to continue resistance against the A great number of his crack divisions | Thanghal, Soochow and Wusih. But a year later the Generalissimo had at past a hundred re-organised and reruited divisions under his command

""It was because Nanking and reat number of provincial capitals were still in the Chinese hands that the Central authorities did not re-

her war against Japanese invasion a "Although defendant may have an year later, when final victory became

REPORT

The Hongkong Stock Exchangeofficial summary issued yesterday

. With London and New York mar-

Union Insurance \$400 H. & S. Hotels \$5% China Lights (Old) \$5.30 China Lights (New) \$5.33 Dairy Farms ex rts, \$21% Entertainments \$6.40 HK, Govi, 4% Loan 4% press. HK, Govi, 3%% Loan Par, Dairy Farm Rights \$15%

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TO TELL

also present. The conversation had two purposes: (1) The text of the statement to be made by the Prime Minister to-

Although it is stated in English official quarters that these questions referred only to some essential details of a more technical nature, Polish quarters state that economic and financial questions will be in the

Trans-Occan.

The interest of Hungarian papers concentrated more and more on the Anglo-Polish negotiations in London. The papers expect that in course of the question arising of the inclusion in the system of guarantees of Rumania, it will become apparent that the present Hungarian-Rumunian border cannot be maintained.

headlines, reading for instance: "Rumania must come to an agreement with Hungary", (Government When Prince Konoye moved for organ 'Pesti Usjag'), or "No under-'peace' again in December, 1938, he standing in London without fulfil-('Magyar Orszag')

The "Pester Lloyd", close to the evident that Hungarian public opinion would consider a guarantee of Militarily speaking, China's fight- these territories, acquired by Rumania ing strength during Herr Traut- with disregard of the ethnical prinmann's good offices and intervention ciples to be a handleap to Britain's

news is

QUESTION: In which country have doctors perfected a test for deciding whether a motorist is under the influence o aicohol?

ANSWER: Germany. Blood tests of motorists are now taken in all cases. The doctors claim that they can estimate the degree of drunkenness with complete ac-

pelled to undergo these tests?

posed on all sides. Q.: What tests are made in this country in similar circum-

examines the suspect's eyes, complexion and gait. He, then makes him close his eyes, put his feet together and stand erect. Finally he makes him repeat sentences-containing words that are hard to enunciate.

Shark Swims Four Sydney, N. S. W.

After four years of captivity a kets both down this market became shark in the Targonga Park aqunimpeachable sources of certain spicuous by their absence: at the swum 105,000 miles non-stop. Skipevidence to bring a case before the same time there was no selling pres- per the Fourth is its name and the RETAIL & ACCOUNTS DEPT 20416 fish has been swimming steadily at three miles an hour.

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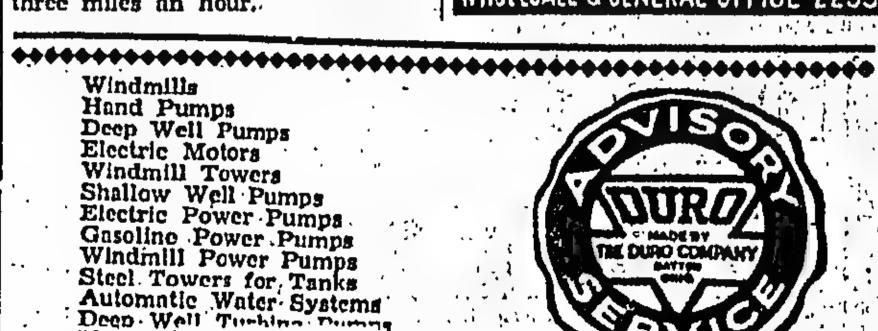
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SCREAMS AND SHOUTS created by women outside the Queen's Dancing Hall on the morning of March 1, disturbed the nearby occupants of flats. When enquiries were made, they revealed that three dancing hostesses were having a brawl. Before Mr. T. J. Houston at the Central Magistracy this morning, Leung Ying and Chan

DANCE HOSTESSES

IN STREET BRAWL

Theft Charge were summoned by Cheung Sikning, also a dancing hostess, for Asked by his Worship to produce her—witnesses,—Cheung—said—that they were all cabaret girls, and could

not get up so early to attend Court Stealing clothing from a clothes Chiung, in evidence, said when she line was the charge against a was leaving the Queen's dance hall, man at the Kowloon Magistracy Chan asked her why she told the this morning. He was remanded other girls that she had asked her for enquiries.

Youth Ordered 18 Strokes Summary Justice

For Snatcher IN ADDITION to a sentence of one week's hard labour posed on a 17-year-old youth, Tam Ping-lam, by Mr. R. A. D. Forrest at the Central Magistracy this morning, he was ordered to undergo a flogging of

18 strokes of the cane. Tam was charged with snatching pair of gold car-rings from woman named Ho Sal-lin, 58, at Ship

Street, Wanchai, on Monday. Detective-Sirgeant . T. Cashmar injured in the course of the anatching.

Social Items

The wedding took place yesterday at the Registry before Mr. T. J Gould, Deputy Registrar of Marriages, between Mr. Chin Bork-sucy, physical instructor, and Miss HolLaihing, of 39 Chrung Sha Wan Road Shamshulpo. The witnesses were Mesdames Chan Mak-shi and Ho

The following forthcoming wed- "In view of the case with which dings are announced:—Mr. Tong Tak- this offence can be committed, and ho, clerk at the Yee Tsoon Tobacco in spite of the defendant's good Distributors Ltd., residing at 7 Wild character, I cannot do less than pass Dell Building, Wanchai, to Miss Ho sentence of three months' bard lebour Chol-kwal, of Au Chuen, Yan Plng on each charge. Sentences will be District, Kwangtung; and Mr. Wong concurrent." Yat-hing, merchant, to Miss Tung Mao-fen, of 54 Bonham Road, Hong-Rumania has called up a number of kong.

The wedding took place last week Unconfirmed rumours declare that at Holy Trinity Cathedral, Shonghal to smoke eighteites made from these how far, Germany was willing to go oldest son of Dr. and Mrs. Wilfred butts," he said. to support Bulgaria's claim to the Harris, of Chester, Terrace, Regent's Another unemployed, Chan Ping, Bulgaria ceded to Rumania, Inliaw- rates Little, record daughter of Mr. bed. A burglar carried off a case of

worked out a theory social ten- a dencies in animais.

"C hickens

Konoye's "Peace"

continued, his Government had re- ment of Hungarian demands", (rig') peatedly refuted the Chinese Central wing paper), or "The fate of Government and the leadership of Transylvania has become the key Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek! problem of the London talks",

Sacrificed Divisions

for Japanese when he met Herr Trautto mann in November, 1937, he stated. twas sacrificed in the battlefields at

Mr. L. D. Searle, Assistant Super- [fuse the German good office and inntendent of Police, replied that tervention when China's ultimate Piara Singh joined the force in victory was uncertain," said a wellknown Chinese scholar on foreign re-

"But why should China abandon

STOCK MARKET

(China Jights (Old) \$8.50 H.K. Electrics \$57 Conton Insurance \$222 FIK, & K. Wharves \$103 Dairy Farms Rights \$1334 Whitnmokes Ps. 3734 Demonstrations 1436 day, was agreed upon, (2) The questions to be broached in final conversation were outlined Finance

> Questions of a British loan to Poland and emigration of Jews from Poland are not yet completed.—

Hungary's Interest

Budnpest, Apr. 5.

KNOWLEDGE

Q.: Are German motorists com-A.: Yes. Suggestion that similar compulsory tests should be introduced here have been op-

stances? A.: The police call a doctor, who

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DEATH

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Britain And Portugal

early stages was a slight estrange- to the house he's visiting, for Their wives never go with them, ment of view between Britain, the two operators know every for in Albania a woman's place deliberately detached from the number by heart. Usually they is very much at home. Even deliberately detached from the listen-in to conversations; some- the waitresses are foreign girls, struggle, and Portugal, whom a times they join in. contest waged just the other side of her sole land frontiers seemed to affect more intimately. The unfortunate possibilities of any seriwas a renewal with fresh bonds of Albanian languages (the Gheg parts, the host will offer a gold. the old. Anglo-Portuguese friend- ly as to be almost separate Oriental style. ship. It is now 12 months since a languages). British mission drawn from all bon to survey with Portuguese re- into power no Albanian woman presentatives common problems of was considered worth educating. strategy and supply; so thorough were its discussions and so complex the practical difficulties that it was only at the end of the year that the of Education. members finally returned. mission certainly enhanced the ties and her oldest ally. Apart from cultural interchange,

Well-wishers in both countries deserted routes. have created in the past few months with the support of the British Council a British Institute in Lisbon and an Anglo-Portuguese Society in London. It is under the auspices of for the fast. Every night for a the latter that Londoners are now being privileged to hear lectures on all over the country. Sturdy Portugal and a concert in which | mountain-dwellers pour into the Portuguese artists of the standing towns and villages to risk their of Madame: Suggia will take part. It is certainly time that two peoples are drawn from a bag. of proud and fertile literary traditions came to know one: another more familiarly. Portugal has already shown herself appreciative of the new stimulus given three years foreign diplomats live, has two ago to English studies at Coimbra, main streets of shops; a few the ancient University at which her poverty-stricken hotels, a collecheld a chair. Britain, where Portu- ment and two 'ramshackle' guese, studies are as yet! more wooden cinemas. Each has only than widespread among the cultured classes, has an excellent oppor-

Cablact .-- United Press. " (1)

EUROPE'S CRAZIEST COUNTRY

Albania is in the news and rumours speak of an Italian invasion. Here you will read of the strange customs of the country over which King Zog rules

LBANIA is Europe's ment economise by giving them craziest country. beautiful braided jackets, but no trousers or shoes. cigarette, and he will shake Albania abounds strange things like that.

It has no radio station or rail- shocked delight way, yet modern air services as censored. operate daily between important scenes flicker water; every drop; has to be give the celebrated Dietrich legs brought in petrol cans from wells a hearty clap." outside the town.

an Italian university.

the Adriatic to Italy or the high him is whispered at cafe tables.

▲ MODERN girls' school with showers and

The school is run by foreign The girls themselves choose monitors who dictate punishments, govern the school; and make suggestions to the Minister

Zog has banned veils, but Moslem priests frown on bare of sentiment which united Britain legs-so the girls play basketball under a blazing sun in long black stockings and voluminous the practical work accomplished, it frocks. To "protect them from paved the way for an agreeable men," the girls are made to take their daily walk along specially

Sometimes gambling is permitted, sometimes strictly forbidden. It all depends on the Moslem feast of Ramadan. Then the ban is lifted to compensate month tombolas are held in cafes hard-earned leks, getting wildly excited as the winning numbers

TIRANA, where Government officials and bored Prime Minister, Dr. Salazar, once tion of new brick Government buildings, a tiny House of Parliahonoured by individual scholars one projector, so there is a long pause!between reels. Sometimes the operator gets the reels mixed. up, but nobody seems to mind. tunity of redressing post ignorance. Few of the audience can read the Albanian "aub-title : projected underneath the screen.

During the intervals boys BRUSSELS, Apr. 5.-King Leopold come round selling bottles of has tentatively commissioned. M. pop, pen-nuts, oranges and dates. Hubert Plerlot to form a new As the lower halves of their bodies are invisible, the manage-

Sometimes films banned by SEE THE-CHAMPION BEFORE his head and take it If other countries are shown, for he's a non-smoker, he there is no censorship unless refuse, ans strictly with brought up with regard to women, gasp in centres. There is no running on the screen. They always

Albania's most hated man is. Durazzo has a magnificent Abdurrahman Krosi, Zog's rightharbour which is always empty, hand man. Nobody seems to months. Funeral will pass cobbled city streets, yet power- him. As he sits in the Kursaki they like. The Albanian holds Zog chose for his wedding to ful modern cars dash along dried garden, soldiers - and tough that no woman, not even a king's Countess Geraldine Apponyimud country roads: Inside may mountain fighters are ready al- sister, is worth a bullet. be a farmer in native dress and ways to defend their dreaded They have their own regi- memorable in Albanian history. his well-groomed son back from master. In spite of hate, every- ments, which they command in body grovels before him, for it natty uniforms. A year or so the same day another great Al-From London you can tele- is said that Krosi's friends pros- ago they went to America to phone every European country per and his enemies die. Every buy new clothes, for in Tirana Skenderberg, whose name is still except Albania. No cable crosses day a new atrocity story about fashionable things cannot be

Slavia. But the inland service lish pubs and clubs. All day is the simplest in the world. You men sit at the tables, Sipping they are not popular in Albania. death. just pick up the receiver and ask tiny cups of thick Turkish coffee A MONG the unforeseen results of for Mr. So-and-So. If he's not and discussing what news the the Spanish Civil War in its at home you can be put through censor allows them to hear. mostly from Hungary, Rumania and Austria.

and Tosk dialects differ so great- traveller his wife in true

The lowlanders are lazy, cunthree-fighting services went to Lis- mistresses, for until Zog came bored with life. One of their greatest pleasures is to visit the barber's shop, where they spend the body. hours being shaved, curled and |

> Zog is always preaching thrift, from the barren soil, with little fun now that feuds have been good tailors elsewhere. banned. Moreover, the country, graft and corruption.

the Queen Mary Hospital, for Albania has no merchant know who he is, but everybody six sisters. While their brother on the finances of a poor little Jacqueline Mavis, only daughter fleet or navy. Buffaloes drag hates him, except the King, rarely ventures out for fear of country like ours." of Inspector and Mrs. W. A. heavy carts slowly through Hundreds have sworn to kill vendetta killing, they go where

> bought. When they returned mountains to Greece or Yugo- Cases take the place of Eng- they had 90 pairs of shoes with them. Extravagant and proud, in mourning for this hero's

"How can we expect our people to economise when the King's this rocky corner of the Balkans. own sisters show such a bad example?" an earnest young Cabinet Minister of the new

I IVING in state with generation asked me. "Six ex-Zog are three of his travagant women are a big drain

With his usual cleverness, April 27 last year—a day Five hundred years earlier on banian ".leader was married --revered throughout this tiny Balkan country. Even to-day many Albanians still wear the Xhurdîn, a thick black jacket,

Thus does time stand still in

Geoffrey Lucy

WILLIONAIRE

ous coolness were, however, speedily sanatorium wastes hours daily and hard working. A traveller that, for in those days everyone man, but, they did nothing to detract recognised in both countries, and because all lessons must be is received with open arms, and the happy outcome, long before events in Spain took a decisive turn, There are no text-books in the Sometimes, in the most desolate "boom" had filled many pockets with about him.

> But this particular drinker of champagne attracted my attention. He was sitting alone at a table in the Casino. Before him the silver bottle ning,-avaricious,-effeminate-and-pail-swested-ice-cold-moisture,-The man drank the pale gold liquid without any apparent satisfaction, as if he were above such minor delights of

He was exceptionally handsome in a typical South American fashion. Dark, warm skin and glowing black eyes contrasted strongly with finshing for the average Albanian has a white teeth when once he smiled to a time wresting a living passing friend. His clothes were perfect, not because they were made in London, but because there 'are

He wore no more jewellery heavily and ever-increasingly in- was common in Santos at the time. debted to Italy, is riddled with Three splendld diamonds shot gleams of coloured fire from the snowy whiteness of his shirt. One amazing

By Lichty

THE mountain-dwellers THE millionaire was drinking stone blazed on the little finger of his are tough, hospitable him. There was nothing unusual in looked out of place on an English-

"That is Senhor Roberto Moura, the coffee millionaire," said the waiter." I had heard of him, his wealth, his generosity—and his success with the opposite sex.

A few nights; later I happened to sit at the same table and this time the millionaire sat beside me because the place was busy. He spoke a few words of polite conventionality, and then became more friendly. During the evening an attendant brought him a note. The millionaire glanced it it, frowned, looked rather puzzled, and then handed me the note! - To my grent'surprise; he said-"Would"

I looked at the paper. Femininewriting said that she "would meet him as usual to-morrow." It was signed "Juanita." I was about tohand it back when the millionaire said, "Will you read it aloud, please?" did so.

I began to feel a certain contempt for the man.. Why should he show me the letter if not to show me what a successful man he was." I felt that. he was full of a childish vanity. Some nights later he approached

me again!* ! "I wonder if you will do me a great favour?" he said. "But before I ask let me say that I feel I owe you an explanation. But, first of all, will

you write a few words for me?"
Rather puzzled, I took the paper he offered and wrote down the words he dictated. It was a small note making an appointment with a lady friend. By this time I was both puzzled and annoyed, and no doubt my feelings. showed on my face, wall

Then the millionaire began

"Listen, my friend. I have asked." you to do this for me because I know." you are discreet and I can trust you. How do'I know? Because I' know! fisces. I am a millionaire because I know faces.

"I am the son of a poor backwoods-,man. My father and mother lived in a mud and wattle house mest of their days. I myself was reared in one. I thad mone of the udvantages of an expensive education; but Ti made myself-rich. I did so because: men's minds. 'And'so, to-day, I, who: was bornein a hut carit live; inclair palace. All, as I my, because 'I learned to know faces.

"I asked you to read me that note the other night, and to write this one t. to-night for two reasons - One bear cause I trust you and know you will be discreet. The other reason, my friend, is this in cannot "trite" of read/ - I -never went to school the con-





That Mrs. Bascomb called she said to drop her divorce por-"" ceedings and make her a murder triti estillate!"

EGYP

"IT WAS NECESSARY TO MAN THE FLEET'S A.A. GUNS

SUPPRESSED SPEECH CREATES SENSATION

Stanhope's statement aboard the aircraftcarrier Royal Oak that it had become necessary "to give orders to man the antiaircraft guns of the Fleet" had created a first-class political sensation.

The First Lord's speech was suppressed in London newspapers at the request of the Prime Minister.

It -wast also, suppressed, by British news agencies, and-was not received in Hongkong from "Ruter's" until 8 'o'clock this morning, 24 hours after it had been received from other sources.

WITHDRAWN

The First Lord's statement was published in early editions but was withdrawn from subsequent editions.

Yesterday afternoon papers, how- Labour members of the Opposition ever, splashed it as the leading story asked if Lord Stanhope's statement of the day after it had become was not most unwise. obvious that any attempts at suppression would apply only to English

The report was first received in incident than was necessary, Hongkong from "Trans-Ocean," which described the incident as in the debate, and the matter was having occurred during the sercen-'ing of a "propaganda film" aboard H.M.S. Royal Oak. The "propaganda film" was a "Mickey Mouse"

"REUTER" VERSION

This morning, "Reuter" gave the following view of the incident: In a speech last night, which was the subject of a statement by the Prime Minister in the House of Commons to-day, Lord Stanhope, addressing an audience of about 1,000 aboard the Ark Royal, explained the absence of the Duke of Kent on account of a sore throat, and immediately 'continued:'

""Unfortunately there are others who are not with us to-night because, shortly before I left the Admiralty, it became necessary to give orders to (Continued on Page 7.) man"the anti-aircraft guns of the

fleet:' "Long before the guests came aboard this ship, 16 anti-aircraft guns could have given a warm welcome to anyone who happened to come this way." "With this announcement Lord

Stanhofe endtd his speech." Commons Reference

Referring to the suppressed speech the Prime Minister declared in the House of Commons that the First Lord of the Admiralty's speech was unpremeditated.

It was not true that he had invited the 'press to give special prominence

In the course of his remarks, Lord Stanhope-drew-lattention-to-the-fact that there was not a full attendance, walls of Victoria Gaol. If our corresas some of the men had been retain- | pundent's statements - are accurate, ed aboard their ships in readiness to which we are loth to believe, a state man guns, as had been the normal of affairs exists in our local 'penal settlement' which requires the immedipractice in times of tension.

No other orders had been given tice should not be relaxed even on so special an occasion.

"Constant Readiness"

As It seemed to him (Mr. Chamberlain), this istatement might very. likely bo treated in a sensational can get hold of. manner, he gave directions that the press be asked not to publish an account of the speech. "Apparent-"ly," added the Prime Minister," "my efforts to spare the public any unmonstrate the constant readiness of the Navy for all eventualities." (Laughter and cheers).

Labour Objection

Mr. Arthur Greenwood asked: person to hold such an important post, and will he give an assurance that such indiscreet, irresponsible, and unpremeditated statements shall not

The Premier replied: "The First Lord has expressed his regret that by a tale of the animal having been his words, which perhaps were not seen on the forestry road above Abervery happily chosen, should have deen. On Saturday, Commander and Women Found in Factory understood that practical measures in Reuter. think that affects the efficiency of coolies, when suddenly the coolies Lord Stanhope."

Press Not Instructed

Mr. Chamberlain said that he thought to-day is remarkably peaceful. The it appropriate for the Government major portion of the Wuhan troops from time to imple requests are retreating directly to Tsaitien and to be employed at his factory after are making for Yunnani.

The streets are gay with bunting in Mr. D. W. Phillips, Against and Mr. D. W. Phillips, Mr. D. W. that. He had always found the press welcome to Marshal Chiang Kallshek, spector of Factories and Workshops, mained silent regarding the situation and o'clock in the morning.

attendency dimutenble : atribution



LORD STANHOPE

The Premier added: "I must take of London newspapers yesterday the blame for the action, which certainly did not produce the effect I wanted."

Mr. A. V. Alexander and other

The Premier retorted that Mr. Alexander was making more of the

In the House of Lords, Lord Army and political circles refused Stanhope made an explanatory state- to discuss the staff talks which are ment in which he suid: "I can only reported to have started between express my keen regret that any re- Italian and German chiefs. Foreign marks of mine emphasising the circles, however, regard them as

have added to the work of the Pre-Political Sensation

London, Apr. 5. The political sensation resulting statement on the Ark Royal yesterday threatened to complicate the in-creasingly delicate European situ-

It temporarily overshadows even the reported Italian plans to occupy Albania as a move to offset the Halt Hitler programme.

There are hints that Earl Stanhope will lose his post as First Lord of the Admiralty. He arose carly this morning and arrived at the Admiralty at 8.30 a.m.—United Press. Berlin Fury

Berlin, Apr. 5, Lord Stanhope's declaration a Portsmouth has aggravated the anti-

British campaign here.

The press is furious and a political commentator regards Lord Stanhope's statement as "symptomatic of the kind of incitement and mood prevailing in England now."

He added that Mr. Chamberlain's

statement "does not alter the part mentally existing there," Under the heading "Anti-Peace Torpedo," the "Lokalanzeiger" talks of the encirclement agitation reaching an unparalleled new peak, and declares that the subsidiary a.m and move is to impress Colonel Beck with Britain's resoluteness and prepared-

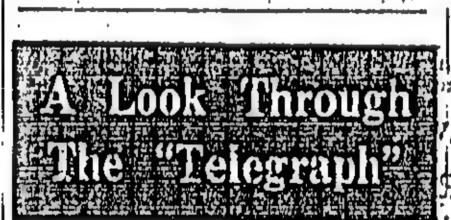
"Gripped By Panic"

The paper adds: "It looks as though the English will gradually be reident than was necessary, gripped by their own panic-making, Eventually the Speaker intervened and as if even the British Navy, once the pride of Great Britain, is selzed

readiness of the Navy to meet all counter demonstration to the talks in eventualities, even whent as now, Franco last week between Britain caster leave is being 'given, should and France.-Reuter Special.'

BANKRUPT

PRAGUE, Apr. 5. BANKRUPTCY FACES: the new Slovak Government during the next few weeks unless it can make terms



with Germany and obtain additional funds.

50 YEARS AGO

a gruesome account of life inside the of this sum is owing for administra- German papers say .- United Press. ate application of drastic remedies; in any onso an independent investigation by the Admirally than that this prac- | would probably produce beneficial resultsi. "One who has been there" says not pay Slovakia's bills without makthat confinement in our 'model prison is simply equivalent to killing by a slow process of gradual starvation. The unfortunate prisoners are scarcely able to keen body and soul together, would actually relish the incorporaand ravenously devour the fith and tion of Slovakia into the Reich, it even the most decomposed food they only because Berlin would have to

25, YEARS, AGO.

Mr. (Inter Sir Robert) Ho Tung, who has been on an extended trip in North necessary, agitation were not China, returned to the colony on altogether successful, but the incident Saturday on the s.s. Liang-chow, Deswill, at any rate, have served to de- pite the serious accident which befell him in which' he sustained a broken leg, we learn that he has benefited by his holiday.

Another new danger to the children of Kowloon residents has arisen since a mews has been opened on that side . of the water, and that is in the con- while Cable and Wireless met profit-"Does the Prime Minister regard the verting of Nathan Road into a race taking, the price reacting from 4614 agreed." First Lord of the Admiralty as a fit track over which galloping ponies are to 44%. driven to the fullest extent by Incompetent and inexperienced riders.

The appearance of a tiger on the be repeated in the future by respon- Peak and in that district not having Wall sible officers of the Crown?" been reported for about a week past Special. interest in the mysterious animal raised, a cry of having seen tigers. 10 YEARS AGO

> one o'clock in the morning. 5 YEARS AGO

Apr. 6, 1934. The boycott of German goods in the essential that the women should torate.

United States appears to be gathering finish at a proper hour," said Mr. In their comment on the European correct and what is wrong with tinued putchasing Garman merchandise on-accountrof "customer rusistance."

Mile. Maryne Hilly, the noted French English Oxford Dictionary spellings of these words will be found on Nanking on her return journey from H.R.V.D.C. will be held at Corps Head. M. Guy Lachambre, the French Air page 9.1.177.1934. Minister returned from his visit to

Cause of much of Slovakia's present indebtedness is the reck- the international tensional less appointment of hundreds of local officials: Already the prolarger than it can afford:

In fact, to day there is not sufficient | Stanhope's statement. money in hand to pay saluries and

tive expenses.

There is no hope of finding this money in Slovalcia, a country populated almost exclusively by poor peasants. For this reason,

Slovaks have to apply to Berlin. The Reich on the other hand, will ing conditions.

BERLIN BLAMED. It is doubtful whether Germany take over the financial responsibilities formerly borne by the Czechs.

Stock Market

London, Apr. 5. International political fears caused little end of account selling at the outset of the London Stock Exchange business to-day, but later a steadier

Gilt-edged! securities were easier.

local support in final dealings, which agreement.—United Press. created a better disposition. Street was easy.-Reuter

WORKED OVERTIME

Late at Night

Replying to Sir Archibald Sinclair, lapse of the Wuhan defence, Hankow tracy yesterday and pleaded guilty to.

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Reuter.

the premises at 10:30 p.m.
"It is a particularly dusty trade of feather sorting, and it is specially

between the northern port and Hong- Press. kong in just over fight hours.

the Syrian-Turkish border at: present consists of only 1,500 men; and it is intended to reinforce them. SYRIA

A "Reuter" message reported last night that France is

FOR ALEXANDRETTA

despatching a cruiser to Alexandretta.

JORDAN

REINFORCEMENTS

It was reported by "United Press" yesterday that Turkey had demanded the return of Alexundretta as a quid pro quo for ver-mission for British and French warships to use the Dardanelles in the event of war. This morning a 'Reuter Special" message stated that

Franco-Tukish' negotiations con-

cerning Alexandretta were pro-

ceeding normally,

SHIRTS

with collars attached

The garrison at the city on

ACTIVITY AS NEW ALLIES SOUGHT

ROME, Apr. 5. IT HAS been learned from a very reliable source that Herr Hitler had a long conversation with Signor Mussolini by telephone this morning.

It is reported that Hitler agreed with the precautionary military measures Italy has already adopted.

Secondly, they discussed questions involving concerted action in case political events in Europe made such action advisable.

Meanwhile, Italian official; London and informed the press that refuse to make any comment he was very satisfied with the talks regarding the reported military movements.

Pressure On Spain

During his conference with the British Ambassador on Thursday, of fresh Italian volunteers; indicate, however, that Germany is

Spain to join the and-Comintern pact, as a counterthrust to Britain's 'incirciement" programme, ... The Nazis express the belief that there is no possibility of Italy withdrawing troops from Spain during

. Meanwhile a new burst of abuse against Britain has started on the grounds that she is attempting to vince has a Civil Service far encircle and strangle Germany. The Press, has laid emphasis on Earl

"It sounds like something from meet other expenses for more than madhouse". . . . it is certainly the most serious and grave attack yet Slovakia has now a total 'deficit of made at any peace 'policy. The 1,000 million crowns, or more than sensational reports about Albania £7,000,000. More than £2,000,000 | belong to the same -chapter, -the

Talks in Berlin

communique - announcing , that stair talks are at present proceeding between the Gorman and Italian army leaders, adds that General Keitel, chief of the supreme German command is conferring with Signor Piriani, Secretary of State in the Italian Ministry of War, and the chief of the Italian Staff at Innsbruck today and to-morrow.-Reuter.

Bulgarian Donial

l SOFIA, Apr. 5.—Informed 'circles deny - 'the' reported movements of Bulgarian troops towards tile Rumanian frontier United Press.

Anglo-Polish, Pact

London, Apr. 52-Britain and Poland have apparently reached final agricment on the defensive pact: 'Following the 'conference, a Polish Representative said that Mr. Chamberlain will read n. statement in the House to-merrow "upon" which we have mutually

The American Ambassation also Elsewhere, industrials occasionally conferred with the Polish Foreign lost ground, but Koffies met with Minister and learned details of the election are as follows: M. Lebrun

lewish Question London, Apr. 5;

Poland and Britain, according to the Poles, have agreed about principle for the solution of Jewish question in Poland, and it is sident; for two consecutive " times .accordance with this agreement will

It is reported that Colonel Beck of M. Lebrun is viewed as a gesture A fine of \$75 was imposed on the maintained the Polish position that maintained the Polish position that ling conditions in Europe.

Works, of Shum Chun Street, when the Eastern European defensive Most parties were united behind the property of the Lottlet Senator.

'Italian Silonce Rome, Apr. 5.

Neither did they publish the official communique from Albania denying the reports of an Albanian protec-

islituation they have adopted a stronger nnti-British tone United

French Air Chief

and the spirit of co-operation displayed by Sir Kingsley Wood and his. collaborators.—Reuter.

Danzig For Reich?

AMSTERDAM, Apr. 5. It was reported here this after-Count Ciano," the Italian Foreign noon that Colonel Back, the Polish Minister denied the arrival in Spain Foreign Minister, in the course of his conversations in London, agreed High Nazi sources in Berlin to the ression of Danzig to the Reich, and also to the construction of bringing strong pressure to bear on a German, motor road, across the Polish Corridor.

Although no confirmation of the reports could be obtained, the Amsterdam Stock Exchange reacted sharply, and closed with a 50 per cent. recovery on initial losses.-Trans-Ocean.



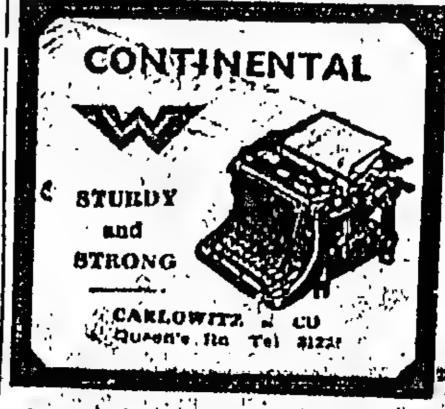
M. LEBRUN

PARIS, Apr. 5. M. LEBRUN, the retiring President of the French Republic, was reelected to the office on the first count

Official figures for the Presidential 500; M: Bedouge 151; M: Chebin 74. M. Herriot 53, Senator Godart 50, MI. Bouleson 10, M. Pletri 10,7 . M. Lebrun shares with President the Jyles and President Greavy the disthe | tinetion of being the 'only Pre-

"United Press" states that election of national lifity against the threatch-

Most parties were united behind M. Lebrun, only the Leftist Senator M.



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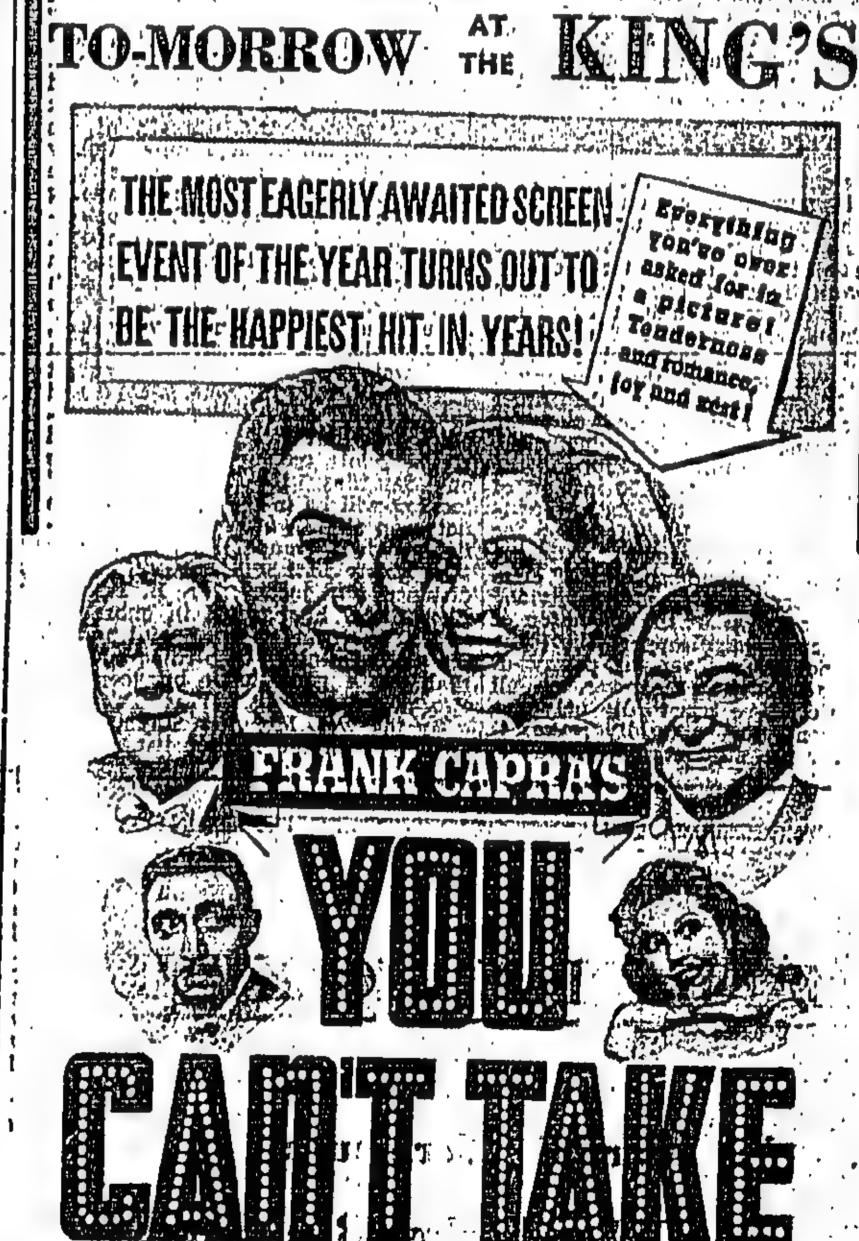
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TWO-DAY RACE MEETING DURING EASTER HOLIDAYS

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Capital Programme For Each Day

A fine Easter programme of two days' racing will be contested at Happy Valley during the holidays and it is earnestly hoped that the Clerk of the Weather will be kind enough to provide us with a good grass track. On Saturday the first saddling bell will be chimed at noon and the meeting will continue on Monday. The tiffin interval will be immediately after the second race on each day and captain of the British Ryder Cup the third event is timed to be run at 2.30 p.m.

tion of the Australian and China and we may look forward to a good ponice issued by the Hongkong day of thrills and handsome return Jockey Club under the date of March of substantial dividends. 20. One would hardly believe that ! there are only eight Australian ponies flock of 37 is in the "B" division and cumstance it must not be overlooked grade. The classification sub-com- (both the Australian and China Scottish Football League to-day. mittee must have had an awful time being no fewer than 63 in the "D" on a slippery course. I am sure that Kilmarnock in dividing the China ponies, there standard while in the "E" company (ore just half a century. There are only eight "A" class China ponies, including Rose Elect and Navylight, but the "B" division has a strong fighting force of 31 ponies and the "C" section is well represented with an aggregate of 42 China steeds.

argument over the classification of but should there be any water on the Worthy's last public appearance was some ponies, but the criticism was not course, I would advise punters to in 1935 and I wonder whether the of a constructive nature. Space does pour out their money on the low increase in stake money has brought not allow for a general survey of weight carriers. what the argument was, but one thing is certain and that is that it is impossible for the sub-committee to please everybody. It is interesting to relate that none of the Australian ponies of this season is to be found in the "A" class, but among the China steeds, Ceitic Star, Marksman and Musketeer have been drafted to the "C" section.

However, on Saturday racing cathusinsts will have the opportunity of seeing this year's subscription and over six furlongs and the official

Stakes for China ponies over a mile ance in the lower deck company, carry 1 lb. penalty for every \$100 or Lucky Lad and the former in my when clearing, particularly on The conditions of this classic have the open country and I have not seen not started at the big marking amonds been altered to a handicap event in- him after his successful run at the stead of a term race, but I am afraid annual meeting. When they clashed, that it will be a tame affair owing Sylvandale, the winner, conceded a to the presence of the champion, good weight of the lend to Flybynight Rose Elect. I presume the small and Ebony Idol who were second and owners must have noticed that the third respectively, but it will be restake money has been increased, membered that these three racers had specially in the minor events and the novice pilots on their back whereas the official handleapper and the and strength under the careful handlthe ponies have practically only one two ponies. engagement, this naturally makes it By the way Mr. Alan Raymond is easier for the students of form to no longer on the injured list, for he

I have before me a new classifica-| compile a ranking list of their own

At time of writing the grass track is on the heavy side and in the cirponies) have not as yet learned by The results were as follows: . experience the sensation of galloping Motherwell there must be a lot of mudlarks or mudders as our American friends call them, but so far no rall, bird can compile a list. Last Sunday at Areia Freta the change from a firm to a was seen in action at Macao last foft course caused several upsets and Sunday, winning the Fulwell Handl- S. A. Rumjahn v. J. M. Tomlinson the top weighters could not get go- enp with his old friend Double ing. It is not possible to predict at Chance and I am sure the combinathis juncture what sort of race track tion will have something to say in Lee Yue-wing and v. T. A. Pearce and There has been, as usual, a lot of we are going to have on Saturday, this event on Saturday. King's

Sylvandale's Prospects Are Rosy

The Meeting opens with a sprint

bona fide griffins running for the first handleapper has signed 14 "D" time against the old stagers in the class China ponies to the first sechandicap events and I would like to tion of the Taiwan Bay, Handicap. ask punters to go slow with their five The winner is to receive \$600 and Race-goers will be treated with a cupital programme of ten races each day, the main event being the Easter Stakes for China ponies over a mile and in the lower dock. Stakes for China ponies over a mile and lower dock. Stakes for China ponies over a mile and lower dock. Stakes for China ponies over a mile and lower dock. Stakes for China ponies over a mile and lower dock. Stakes for China ponies over a mile and lower dock. Stakes money will have to stake money will ha this event. On the strength of his ode grimes of this country, bona in the woman's singles asigns of this performance. lowest third prize is \$200 instead of on Saturday the "black letters" the usual \$125 at the Extra Meet- jockeys will be in the saddle. I have ings. The Taiwan Bay Handicap for not been able to ascertain who is goclass China ponies and the ling to ride Sylvandale, but I do know Hongham Bay Handicap for "B" class that Ebony Idol will have the short China raters have been sub-divided distance star jockey, Mr. B. Prouix. into two sections at the discretion of Ebony Idol has grown in substance segregation has given us plenty of ing of the Fanling halberdier and we food for thought. However, as all shall see a good tussle between the



Thursday,

Henry Cotton has been appointed

Away Teams Win In Scottish Matches

that all the youngsters of this season played in the First Division of the the second round of the doubles.

the stallion back to racing. The great old warrior, Valorous, is not Jut of the race and Desert Star, the winner of last year's Valley Stakes, looks dangerous with only 155 lbs. to shoulder. However, I will make my final selections on Saturday.

Jennifer Should Win The Mirs Bay Stakes

Another interesting contest before lunch will be seen in the Mirs Bay been nominated by Mr. Dunbar, but it_is_learned_that_this_grey_gelding has been sold. In any case we should not worry over this entry as there are several other speedy merchants better than Annas Bay. I cannot see any opposition to Jennifer and furthermore the distance is to her liking. For the lower positions in the frame there will be a good fight between Blue Diamond, English Cavalier, Forgotten Star, Hectic View and Galvesion Bay.

Strathroy Not In Albury H'cap

Although the ex-champion, Sira- eterters and jockeys: throy, has returned to the course, Mr. Bistre J. F. Macgregor has not nominated Celtic Star him for the Albury Handicap con- King Kong fined to "A" class Australian ponies Marksman over a mile. Very poor entries (to Milleave be precise, only four) have been re- Musketeer ceived and no explanation has been Rose Evelyn effered for the non-entry of Able Strathbannock Amazon and Gypsy Love. Courting This Time Eve is definitely accepting, but it wild Cet seems to me that the mare is not yet Mr. Wel, has a pull of 5 lbs. against

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Match At Tennis To-day

be decided in the Colony Tennis, Lee Yue-wing and Ho Ka-lau play Away teams won both the matches T. A. Pearce and W. A. H. Duff in Pearce and Duff who drew a bye in the first round, have not yet been seen in action, and much interest will i be focussed on them this afternoon. The match will be played on the

stand court. The programme is as follows: OPEN SINGLES

OPEN DOUBLES

Upsets In African Lournament

for China ponies, subscription grif- key few past champions, and, several thing goes right—the hard shots are classy subs of this year's batch and all straight at him, all his kicks are Mr. H. P. Chanson Mr. S. W. Pan

Mr. A. W. Raymond Mr. V. Needa Mr. A. Johnstone Mr. C. F. Chiu Mr. C. Encornacio Mr. D. Black Mr. H. C. Pih

Rose Evelyn belonging to Mr. En form and that in the second he is well keyed for the mile sprint. Lan- Tong-sen is considered by the weight having an off-day, but I feel that eashire Chips, who will be ridden by adjuster to be the best among the there is more in it than that,; and a (Continued on Page 10.)

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In the following paragraphs I have endeavoured to write down what are considered to be the most important points about hockey goal keeping. Some of these consist of principles that can be learned from experience, while others are qualities which a goalkeeper should possess in some degree before his experience begins, and without which he can never hope to be more than moderately suc-

It is considered that, apart from of a game—a lucky save, perhaps the ability to stop shots straight at can add considerably to a goal-If the Hongkong C.C. courts are him, the three most important at- keeper is on form and that in the fit for play, an interesting match will tributes of a successful hockey goal- second he is having an off-day, but keeper are (1) a good sense of an- I feet that there is more in it than Champlonships this afternoon when ticipation and position, (2) ability to that, and a piece of good luck in the the goalkeeper his fair share of good clear shots after saving them; (3) early stages of a game—a lucky luck. an average allowance of good luck, save, pernaps—can add considerably Nevertheless, leaving out the ques-

EDGE OF CIRCLE SHOTS when the person shooting is opposite other positions on, the field, and able amount of skill in hockey goalto the centre of the goal is not difficult-in general, he stands in the considered together with the speed position can be studied and demiddle of his goal—but anticipation with which it can be hit into goal, veloped in a fashion smillar to that as to where the shot is coming is not I do not think anybody will begrudge for any other position. so easy. If the attacker is on the run, he will often shoot in a direction, but if he receives the ban in a more or less stationary position information about the direction of his snot can often be obtained by watching his feet. It is also worthwhile bearing in mind that, given a chance, forwards tend to shoot to the goalkeeper's left, as there is prevalent among forwards a theory that a THE Recreio ladies almost ruined THE H.K. team showed pretty good gosikeeper is more vulnerable on his

left side than on his right.
THE FOLLOWING UP SHOT wards following up a shot and scering of the ball can easily be practised by the goalkeeper and a few Southern. Transvaal, beat Vernon attempt to prevent or intercept his necessary. I doubt they can accessary. I doubt they can accessary. I doubt they can accessary. I complish this feat without the assistances. Freally necessary for this, and so it takes of their lander. can also be practised for a few tance of their leader. movements before a game without of the heavy rain which at St. Andrew's Hall this afternoon at pitch. I think an ability to flick the RUNNING OUT

With regard to running out, exlaway completely on his own, he sih. must be met on the edge of the cir-If the goalkeeper does not succeed in robbing him of the ball, he does at least give his backs a chance to cover the goal, and often, in trying to put the ball wide of the keeper, the forward hits it outside. LUCK PLAYS A PART do hold the opinion that luck Berg.

The Sub-griffins Spring Handicap does play a recognisable part in hocgoalkeeping—particularly fins of any season, has attracted a close range work. One day everything seems to hit him or come within reach. Another day nothing seems to go right-goals are scored from scrimmages, the shots go just there first when the keeper runs Miss D. Eardley, Miss M. Sheridan quested to get into touch with Mr. out, or the only shots he has are quite impossible.

LUCK GIVES CONFIDENCE I know it is quite easy to say that, in the first case, the goalkeeper is on piece of good luck in the early stages;

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to a goalkeeper's confidence. How- tion of good luck for the moment, I The position of the goalkeeper ever, I expect it is the same for the do maintain that there is a consider-

RANDOM JOTTINGS BY "THE PILGRIM"

Brawn Cup when they only managed their departure for Shanghai on So many goals are scored by for- a draw against the D.G.S. last Satur- Sunday. Mrs. Read scored six goals day. They still head the league and seems to be regaining her form. table, having played 15 games, lost of last season. It was very fortuning from the rebound, that it is very table, having played 15 games, lost of last season. It was very fortunimportant that, not only must a gradit. Their pearest rivals, the received at the services of Miss E. Grey was goalkeeper be able to stop a shot, but he must try to kick or hit the position with the ball antider able to stop hit the position with the ball antider and the place of Mrs. Wilmost with the ball antider and the place of Mrs. Wilmost with the ball antider and the position with the ball antider and the place of Mrs. Wilmost with the ball antider and the place of Mrs. Wilmost with the ball antider and the place of Mrs. Wilmost with the ball antider and the place of Mrs. Wilmost with the ball antider and the place of Mrs. but he must try to kick or hit the position with 13 games played, 2 lost to make the trip, and her inclusion abiy towards the wings. This clear—band Should the HK Ladice wing and somewhat strengthen the hand. Should the H.K. Ladies win Colony defence. their remaining fixtures—they are at Favourites were besten to-day in the South African Lawn Tennis shot at him and he stops it and championship semi-finals.

In the men's event, E. Sturgess, of Contendues follow up the shot and with Recreio and a replay will be away on business.

> pan is of great help to a goalkeeper impossible to hold the six-a-side members is requested. a tournament which has been postponed to Sunday, April 16. The old arrangements hold good.

has taught many that MHE following ladies have been maxim-"If-in-doubt, run-out." One Lichosen to represent Shanghal case is quite clear; if a forward gets against Hongkong next Saturday

Goalkeeper: Miss U. Paelz. Backs: Miss E. Bloomfield and

Halves: Miss I. Wilkinson, Miss M. WITH regard to the International Ballingall and Miss M. Malinovsky. VV Tournament, a player may now Forwards: Miss J. McKcown play for a country, either choosing (capt.) Miss D. Eardley, Miss M. the nationality of his father or Sheridan, Miss N. Kelly and Miss U. mother. Once he represents the

serve the absence of Miss Frances was decided upon by the Representa-Dunko and was Evelyn Victal, the tives of the International Tournafamous pair of backs, who visited ment and will be submitted to the the Colony in 1951. I doubt Miss meeting of the H.K.H.A. council this The following is a list of probable timed, and at close-range every- Esther Bloomfield and Miss M. Osa afternoon for their approval. a rather confident feeling that H.K. will emerge winners. The four CHINESE players who are anxious. players who have been seen in acnere are Miss E. Broomfield, International Tournament are re-

their chances of winning the . I form in their last game before

THE usual monthly meeting of the

IN a practice match on the "Y" ground Y.M.C.A., fielding their best team, defeated India by three goals to two. Dawson-playing-at-centre-forward, completed the hat-trick for the winners. Datta Ram and M. H. Hassan were absent from India's defence.

country he has chosen, he shall, in From the above team one will ob- future play for no other. This rule

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in many respects the soccer match played between the Straits Chinese and the Hongkong shaklly in the first half, improved in Combined Chinese at Caroline Hill yesterday was the best of the three which the visitors have played in the Colony. The exchanges were for three years, at inside left for the local Chinese caused general surprise, but considering the fact that he has been games, in both of which the tourists were out- veteran gave a good display. played,

Though the Straits players were game was immediately on resumpfound in the midfield play of the
extremely fortunate to win by the
solitary goal scored in the first half, the local Chinese took the ball down
nobody grudged them their victory. Into Straits territory. First Chan
In all their matches in Hongkong the
In all the matches the first half when had been adverted to the deficit, Straits Chinese. They introduced the moment of it is delicious; pathos made "Mr. Deeds Goes To Town"
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In all the moment visitors have played well enough in and later Chan Tak-fai again they only been able to take advantage of the things the characters lated." The Ks live in an enormous midfield, and but for a lamentable hit the wood-work of the goal tage of their territorial superiority, do may not be exactly sensible, but mansion and work in an enormous weakness in front of goal, some of with the custodian completely they should certainly have been more the results might have been different, beaten all within a period of 10 than one goal up. James Goh and Yesterday they revealed the same seconds, but the ball never inability to do anything with the ball entered the net. And, hanging right-wing combination, and Goh when in front of goal; but this time grinnly, if a trifle precariously, to their they found that their counterparts in slender lead the Straits players too clever for Chan Kwong-yue, the the local team were afflicted with the emerged winners from the game. But instead of cutthe local team were afflicted with the emerged winners from the game.

still on the whole they had only work left little to be desired; only in themselves to blame for missing so finishing did they fail. Chan Kwong- he was able to shoot, but Cheung many opportunities.

Yue, the Police back, who has been Wing-chol failed to hold the low

EXCITING MOMENT

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football, and though he started The appearance of Ip Pak-wa, the old South China left-winger, who has out of the game for so long, the

DEFT TOUCHES . .

Ha Tee-sing were an effective especially was much too fast and ting in himself when well-placed, In the second half especially, the represent the full strength of the into the middle. He was not always tongkong Chinese for long periods Wordson. Chinese eleven did not Goh preferred to send the ball represent the full strength of the into the middle. He was not always. Hongkong Chinese for long periods Hongkong Chinese Amateur Athletic accurate with his centres, and when on end were all over the visiting de- Federation, many famous names he was the local defenders were a fence. They did everything they being missing from the line-up. But match for the Straits forwards. The could have done without being able those who turned out performed only goal scored in the game was due to score. Admittedly they were un-lucky in not doing so more than once; even in the forward line the approach dashed in in an attempt to score. He playing consistently well of late, was grounder and the ball went to Chia

WITH YOU" WINS PRAISE OF CRITICS

on a picture which has not deserved lesson, it is that while life may be it, there is no fear of their having real it should not be too earnest, done so in the case of "You Can't and that fun is a worth-while part Take It With You." This picture, of the business of living, voted the best in 1938, has been In view of the fact that the picture lauded everywhere and local critics, was directed by Frank Capra and therefore, were justified in locking made by Columbia Pictures, a comforward to seeing a really fine film parison with "Mr. Deeds Goes To when they went to the preview held Town" is almost inevitable. Having

difficulty in scoring. great anxiety to the visitors' defence,

some timely clearances. His Excellency the Governor. Geoffry Northcote, and party and the Chief Justice Sir Atholi MacGregor were present at the match.

· Teams: Soon Choon-lye, John Then; Kee Yew-leng, Choo Seng-quee, Koh Hor-

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ROOM BATH CENTHAL COMFORTABLE

OUR SPELLING HEE (see page .

If distributors in the past have they all come under the heading of sometimes erred in showering praise good clean fun. If the film has any

at the King's Theatre yesterday. seen both, one can honestly say it.
They were not disappointed. Not is as good as that old box-office sucbit. "You Can't Take It With cess in many respects and better in You" is a truly great picture, some. The same master hand possessing all the qualities which one guided every move and has given looks for but seldom finds in films. "You Can't Take It With You" the Once ugain, little fault could be Fun there is in plenty and every same delightful little touches which

> bank. The Vs live and work in a little house where one or other colno lects stamps, writes plays, makes fireworks, studies ballet dancing all Choo Seng-quee kept a firm check at the same time. The Ks live in on Chan Tak-fal, but the nippy local an atmosphere of frigid finance—the wingers must have been a source of Vs in happy pandemonium. Martin Vanderhof, as played by Lionel Barrymore, might easily be the where Soon Choon-lye and John grandfather of Longfellow Deeds. Then distinguished themselves with Anthony P. Kirby might be Ebenezer Scrooge, in the solidity of Edward daughter who is Jean Arthur. Anthony has a son who is James Stewart. Martin has a house Straits Chinese:-Fong Wai-man; Anthony wants to buy, and Martin refuses to sell because he is not interested in money.

That is the theme of the film. The most exciting moment of the given his first taste of representative Keng-hock, who was following up, Keng-hock, Yuen Kuan-hong (Ho promising, does it? But wait until

Keng-hock, Yuen Kuan-hong (Ho Kok-choy) and John Chye.
Combined Chinese:—Cheung Wing-choi; Hou Yung-sang; Chan Kwong-yue; Lau Hing-choi, Leung Wing-chiu, T'se Kam-hung; Tang Kwong-sam, Cheuk Shek-kam, Chan Tak-fai, Ip Pak-wah-and Yeung Shuiyick.

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This in itself does not sound very promising, does it? But wait until you see the film. It is a wow!

As usual in a Frank Capra film there are many brilliant performances by supporting players. One by Harry Davenport, as a judge in a New York night court, will send film-goers into fits of laughter; another by II. B. Warner, as a man who has been made bankrupt, is an unforgettable moment of tragedy.

"You Can't Take It With You" cannot fail to be a box-office success. It appeals to all sections of the community; lowbrows are certain to like it, and highbrows will find themselves bowled over too, whether they like it or not. Those who wish to save their tearstained faces afterwards can draw consolution from the flawless technical efficiency with which every bit of the picture has been made.

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(Royal Scots) and Lung (R.A.O.C.)

RYDER CUP CAPTAIN

Badminton Match

At the Club de Recreio last evening, P. S. Bun and M. S. Lim defeated C. Au and F. Ko in the semifinals of the badminton doubles championship by 12-15; 15-12, and

Lim was outstanding and did much to win the match, while Au also played a good game. 😭



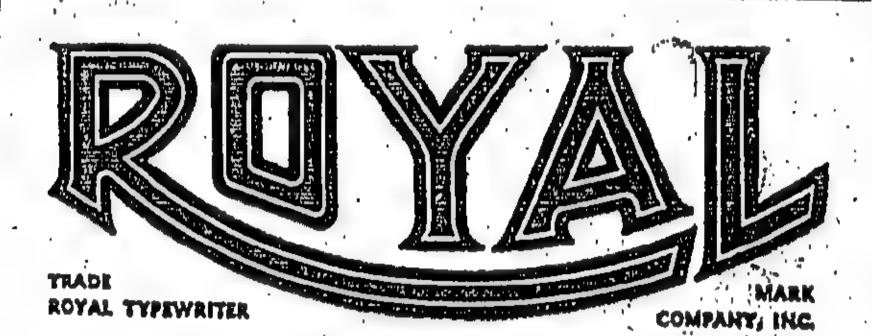


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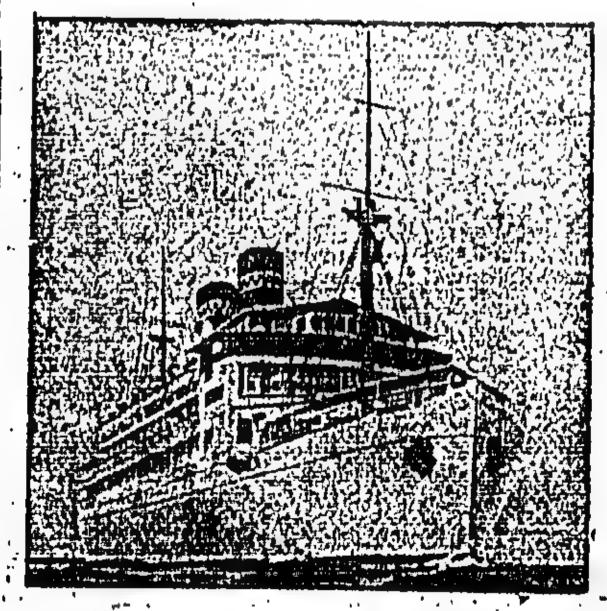
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WIDER POWERS SOUGHT FOR U.S. IN EMERGENCIES

WASHINGTON, Apr. 5. OPENING THE Senate Foreign Relations Committee's hearings on the Neutrality-Law amendment proposals, Mr. Henry Stimson urged the United States to use economic resources to halt the dictatorships' aggressions.

He asserted that the United States was facing a critical situation, in which the three Totalitarian states have torn up all codes of international conduct.

"Caucasian civilisation threatened with the gravest regarded as very helpful to the Addanger in four centuries," ministration, circles close to the

declared. He advocated greater presidential Government view the present Senapowers to maintain neutrality.

Aided Aggressors

there are methods short of war but obselete through the effect of further stronger and more effective than Totalitarian action upon American

words.' "For the past two years we have been using our matchless resources the Pittman resolution enacted, but to a very large extent to stimulate the activities and aggressions of our potential enemies," Mr. Stimson

He said that the present Neutrality Law "was evidently drawn up under the influence of traditions of the past rather than in the face of conditions as they exist at present."

He advocated the abandonment of isolation and asserted that the European axis had moved too rapidly and that the world had become too small and inter-connected .-- United Press.

The Next Victim,

Mr. Stimson said that if a general European war broke out, the present Neutrality Law might facilitate a States the "next victim for attack," says Reuter,

Mr. Stimson's Testimony.

violation of former treaties and Mr. John Johnstone (a former taj- incidentally it is the second leg of international law, upon Manchuria, pan of Messrs Jardine Matheson & the daily double. North China, South China, Ethiopia, Co.) and all those "old riders in the Spain, Austria, Czecho-Slovakia, and stand" will no doubt agree with me Lithuania, it has been made clear the that "J. J." was one of the finest revolutionary nature with which we lockeys along the China coast ports. are now confronted."

BORDER-TENSION

Soviet And Japanese Troops Face To Face

HSINKING, Apr. 6.
JAPANESE and Soviet troops despatches from the Manchoukuo frontier outposts. ***

The Manchoukuo Government is preparing to lodge a strong protest with the Soviet authorities against the latest Soviet "incursions" into

Manchoukus territory.
It is revealed that three Japanese soldiers were killed in the severe clash near Luplen in Sanho District along the Argun River on Monday last. The Soviet side was believed to have suffered heavy ensualties.

the Soviet forces confronting the apply the rule of three, Red Feather include 80 cavilry troopers and 80 justment of the poundage shows that six furlongs and should the going be artillerymen with three heavy Red Feather is only three pounds soft, the old fighter has a golden pleces.-Domet.

Three Killed

soldiers were killed in a two-days' engagement with Soviet forces attacking Liushin, in the Three Rivers district, north-east of Man-

The Soviets were supported by three artillery pieces, and light and heavy machine guns, but they were driven back.

Their cosualties are not known. It is further reported that between 200 and 300 men were engaged in the fight,-Reuter."

Mexican Oil Expropriation

Mexico City, Apr. 8. Seventeen British and American petroleum companies have renewed legal proceedings against expropriation of their properties.

WHAT NEUTRALITY MEANS

The U.S. Neutrality Act, which was passed by Congress on August 31, 1937, prohibits upon proclamation by the President, the shipment of arms, ammunition and implements of war directly or indirectly to belligerent coun-tries. It also provides for the placing of embargoes on the shipments of the these commodities to countries engaged in civil warfare. It was applied to Spain but not to China and Japan.

'Cash and Carry' section authorises the President to prohibit American ships from carrying war materials to belligerent countries. The provision is not mandatory on the President. Provisions are made against the

making of loans or the extending of credits to belligerents, the purpose of this Clause being to prevent the solicitation or receiving of U.S. money.

HONGKONG TELEGRAPH

U.S. merchantmen engaged in commerce with belligerent states are forbidden to arm. Opponents of the Act claim,

with justification, that it does not allow the country to make distinction between aggressors and victims. If the act were applied to the Sino-Japanese War it would renet unfavourably on China, for Japan is not in the same desperate need for war materials.

They contend that the President should be allowed discretion in applying the provisions.

3,000,000 LONDONERS WILL BE EVACUATED

LONDON, Apr. 5. A GIGANTIC evacuation scheme involving the transference of 3,000,000 people in a few days was mentioned by Mr. Walter Elliott in the House of Commons debate on the second reading of the Civil Defence Bill.

the Transport authorities for remain, even at the cost of greater lorganising the scheme.

The Minister appealed to 'citizens to remember that children and

Mr. Elliott paid a tribute to mothers should go first, and the rest

was completed. The House agreed to the second rending.-Reuter Special.

Million More Shelters London, Apr. 5.

The Government is about to place orders for a further 1,000,000 portable steel shelters. The present rate of distribution will

be accelerated 100 per cent. By the end of the Easter holldays, 300,000 shelters will have been distributed free of charge, capable of accommodating 1,000,000 people.--

H.E. the G.O.C., Major General A. E. Grasett, accompanied by Brigadier A. B. Thomson, left on H.M.S. Moth The Deep Bay Stakes is another event is a chassic and he done the total points are a good fight. Among the total timers, Bistre, I am afraid, will subscription griffins, over a mile, for an official visit to the Acting-shape to be out of the reckoning as he have to be reckoning as he have to be out of the reckoning as he have to be recken to the reckoning as he have to be recken to the recken to

FALL OF NANCHANG: FIRST PHOTOS



Japanese forces crossing the Kin River, west of Nanching in boats. In the background can be seen the partially-destroyed Chungcheng Bridge, blown up by the Chinese to stem the Japanese. South China Photo Service.



Japanese vanguards reach Nanchang Station, in the recent strack on Nanchang, capital of Klangsl.-South

RACING PROSPECTS EASTER MEET (By "Capt, Foster") Good Race In Deep Reuter Special.

(Continued from Page 8.)

Although Mr. Stimson's evidence is

torial proceedings as academic, be-

cause European conditions are chang-

ing so rapidly that whatever action

Congress now takes may be rendered

The Administration hopes to see

it does not regard that measure with

any degree of finality. It visualises

situations in Europe in which even

the Pittman resolution might be too.

restrictive for national interest ---

result that would make the United old brigade and the mare has been asked to concede 3 lbs. to the champion sub-griffin, Marksman, The event is a classic and we shall cer-In the course of his testimony, Mr. has no love for a soft going and Wild On paper Kut Cheung should have Lello. The party will return toStimson, apparently referring to Cat is nicely weighted at 142 lbs. no difficulty in making his acquaint night. Germany, Italy, and Japan declared: But the genet appears to be off colour. tance with the judges and further-"Three out of the seven most Of the new generation Marksman more some confidence can be placed powerful nations in the world have with that astate jockey, Mr. Needa, in this moke, for it will be plloted rejected the doctrine of mutual in the saddle will be hard to beat by Mr. G. Treverton. Fairchild, I respect that has been built up be- and Musketeer is trying to win out understand, will be Mr. S. W. Lee's tween nations. Threats of aggression of his distance. Celtie Star is dan- mount while Wild Bear will be ridand treaty violations have gone hand gerous. I am not certain, but I have den by Mr. K. I. Ip. Fair Eyes and in hand as interlocking elements of reason to believe that Milleage will Phoenix should not be despised. In their system. "In a succession of attacks, all in who is the son of the late public idol, a problem to spot the winner and

Top Weight Given To Red Feather

interesting figures.

and the last three quarters were 1.28 flat. Red Feather won the Ladies Purse over a journey of 7 furlongs The Japanese frontier patrols 49 yards in 1.45% and the last six finally succeeded in repelling the furlongs were negotiated in 1.26%. Soviet invaders, frontier dispatches It must be borne in mind that Mrs. With the arrival of reinforcements, ingainst Rob Roy's 152 lbs. and if we in 1.28%. The Griffins Spring distance is to his liking. It is announced that three Japanese | Handicap over a mile was won by Lilliber in 1.58%, but the last six furlongs were clocked in 1.28% and the mare was carrying 166 lbs. Taking everything in the balance, Red Feather should therefore win. Conquering Time, the winner of the Lusitano Cup, la dangerous,

GIN DRINKERS' BAY STAKES

non-winning China ponies, subscrip- 140 lbs. to shoulder and I wonder tion griffins at meetings of the Hong- whether the handlenpper has accikong Jockey Club, will no doubt dentally slipped this Tommy Atkins? prove an interesting event because it Royal Scot has returned and is now is a scramble from the 11/2 mile post the property of Mr. L. Reidy. I canand anything may happen. A lot, of not guarantee but I think the mare course, depends upon a good start; is not yet ready. Oak Bay is a nowd Thanksgiving Day won a good half comer among tills lot and he should mile at Fanling not long ago, but on Baturday he is up against a better class such as Gulaness: Time, Tiny Jober. Boolat Bay, Potentate and class such as Gulaness: Time, Tiny Junction against President Cardenas Tim, Wilber and Wild-Bear, Wilber Tampa Bay are on the same level decree of March, 18, 1930, and they has been knocking at the door for a with only 151 lbs, to carry, the last will carry the fight to the Bupreme long while, and he has a sporting named having a pull of over a stone chance to present his card first . . against Oak Bay.

Bay Stakes

However, the young lad has a pair of good hands and a fine seat and I am sure that it will not take him a long time to get used to the wee China

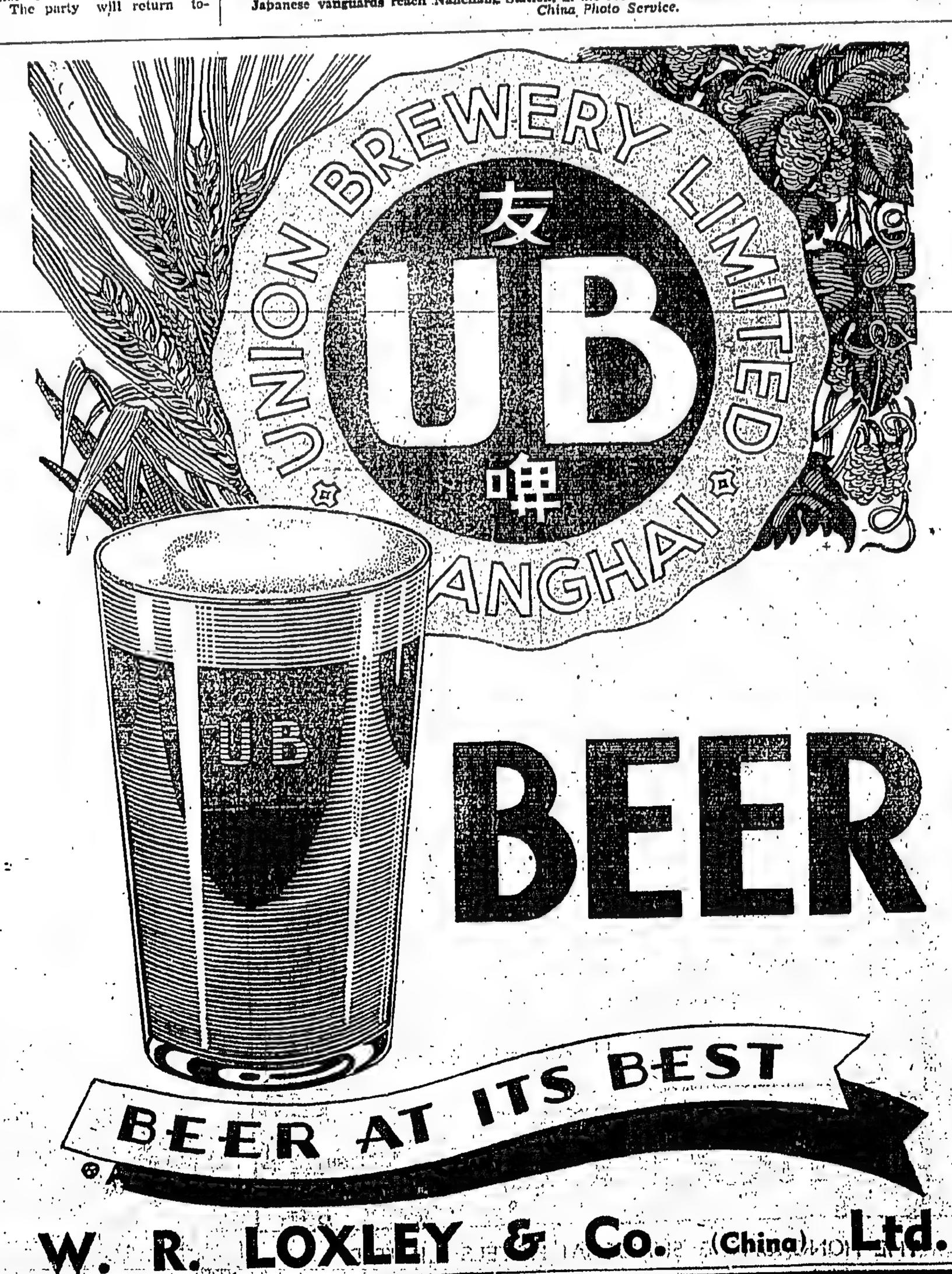
In the Roschill Stakes for Austra-lian subscription ponies of this season which have not won more than \$999, there are four candidates that have not as yet faced the start and they are A Rooring Time, Baffin Bay, Murrumbidgee and Winfred, All of them have done exceptionally well in The first leg of the daily double course of preparation for the Annual course of preparation for the Annual Carnival, but the general "knock-out" through lameness or other reawere still facing each other (first section) for "B" class China sons was responsible for their nonalong the western frontier across ponies over a mile and we have a fine appearance in public. At any rate ponies over a mile and we have a fine all of them have now a clean bill of the Argun River following a list to spot the winner. Red Feather all of them have now a clean bill of the spot and the list to spot the tree with the health and it looks to me that the series of clashes over the week- limit load and below him we have winner of this event is among this lot. end, according to the latest Eve of Harvest and Rob Roy on the I like A Roaring Time. Among those same level, the latter two receiving that have already faced the start and only 3 lbs. It is hard to gauge the have not won, African Diamond will running of these three runners, but be looked after by Mr. Proulx while. a close study of their racing times Rising Star will be steered by Mr. at the Annual Carnival reveals some A. W. Raymond. I understand that In the Happy Valley Spring Handi- ride. Amber II who won the Hobart eap which was a distance run from the two mile post, once round and in. Rob Roy annexed this event in 2.07 16, the last mile being in 1.55 % to win.

Racing Boy Has Great Chance

Japanese in the dispute area now is by far the better racer. The ad- Bay Handicap (second section) over machine-guns and three artillery better animal which I do not agree, opportunity to lead the procession. Eve of Harvest captured the Griffins Good Morning, I believe, will be a Consolation Stakes over a mile in menace. Tempest Bay is not, bad, 1.59 % with the greatest of ease and but he has too much lend to carry. the last three quarters were covered Whalsoy is nicely weighted and the

Old Friends May Come Out Here

The last event, the Hongham Bay Handleap (second section) for China ponies; will bring out a good few of our old friends; among the "B" raters and the run is over the mile course. In perusing the list of 14 ponies which Mr. Alves has assigned to this section, I found Soldier of Britain at The Gin Drinkers Bay Stakes for the bottom of the Indder, with only



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SIUSHUI, Apr. 5.

CONFUSED STREET FIGHTING between Chinese defenders and Japanese forces raged since yesterday at Kaoan, strategic town on the Nanchang-Wangtsal highway 40 miles southwest of Nanchang, as the invaders, reinforced with fresh troops, launched a fresh assault on the town from Wanshoukung.

To counteract the Japanese thrust, Chinese forces in the London Ballet Orch. vicinity of Kaoan started a vigorous offensive on Siangwukwan, three miles east of Kaoan down the Chin River, on the evening of April 2, and inflicted considerable casualties on the

> The struggle for Kaoan has admittedly cost both sides crushingly heavy-tolls.

Chinese Recapture Monanchen

between Chinese and Japanese forces | reinforcements are arriving in the im- accompanied by

cording to military reports. assaults on the Japanese garrison A part of the Japanese troops are force there in which more than 300 said to be retiring to Holong. of the enemy troops were killed. dislodged from their stronghold, retreating in two directions, one northward to Chienhsien and the other westward through Chuliutsun.-

Central News. FIGHTING CONTINUES

Siushul, Kinngsi, Apr. 5. After heavy street fighting, Chinese troops at Kacan on the Nanchang-Changsha highway, 40 miles southwest of Nanchang, have been withdrawn to the western suburbs and the south bank of the Chin River. Sharp fighting is taking place in the heights in the western suburbs. Since April 3, the Japanese guns mounted east of Kaoan city have been shelling heavily across the Chin

River, reducing many villages on the south bank to ruins, A gang of Japanese repairing a. domaged bridge across the Chin River discharge the reservists called to the was fired upon and killed by the colours after March 15 as a pre-

Chinese vanguards launching counter-drive toward Wuning in

banks of the Poyang Lake on April villages on the Southern border. 4. Chinese batteries shelled and sunk one of them .- Central News.

T.U.C. And War-Time Labour

London, Apr. 5. The General Council of Trades Union Congress held a special meet-

detailed examination.

stood, proposes to consult the affiliat- quarters revealed. proposals to the Minister of Labour, centre in southern Hunan on the Railway and Kan River, the comed unions before forwarding specific _British Wireless.

CHINESE COUNTER-

Szowul, Kwangtung,

at Sunwul and Kongmoon.

success after a series of vigorous patches as "progressing smoothly" Shaping, on the south bank of the The remnant Japanese were finally West River, seven and half miles to the southwest of Kowkong and 34 miles southwest of Canton, has been

retaken by the Chinese. The Japanese retreated to Wongpokong and Kufow. The Chinese captured two Japanese tanks and four Japanese and 29 Korean and Formosan soldiers. -Central News.

Kumania Discharges Reserves

Bucharest, Apr. 5. Rumania on Wednesday began to cautionary measure. The demobilia sation will take about 10 days.

south and west suburbs and are firing Rumania, it is declared, no longer mander A. Marsden. into the city. Under the heavy Chin- fears any hostile action by Hungary, ese pressure the Japanese garrisoning although the negotiations for certain the city are calling for reinforce- border corrections desired by Rumania have not been successful.

Some 100 Japanese troops in These Rumanian wishes result several steam boats tried to land at from the occupation of Ruthenia by Tachishan near Tucheng on the north Hungary and concern some Rumanian

Trans-Ocean.

Japanese

Hankow-Canton Railway, was also munique further indicates,-Domei.

JAPANESE IMPORTS

British Colonies May Restrict

LONDON, Apr. 5. IN THE HOUSE of Commons to-day, Mr. Robert Morgan suggested, in view of the action of the Japanese Government in restricting exports from North With the aid of reinforcements China to those financed through Chinese troops have started a general the Japanese-controlled banks, counter-offensive against the Japanese prohibition of entry into British or Crown Colony ports of all exscene of numerous bitter struggles An increasing number of Chinese ports from North China unless in the last few months, has once mediate suburbs to tighten the certificate that they more returned to Chinese hands, ac- stranglehold on the city. been financed through British, ording to military reports.

The Chinese counter-attack on American, or French banks.

Kongmoon is described in field dis-

Mr. R. A. Butler, in a written reply, said that the proposal referred to by Mr. Morgan was being. examined in common with the general question of the protection of British interests in China. He could not say at the present what decision would be reached.

British Cotton Mills

Replying to Mr. J. J. Stourton, Mr. Butler said that Viscount Halifax was at present awaiting further information from His Majesty's Ambassador in China with regard to the present position of the Chuntah and other cotton mills occupied by the Japanese in Shanghai.

Replying to Mr. Alan Graham, Mr. Butler said that it was hoped that the arrangements which had been made for co-operation between the Shanghal Municipal Council and the Japanese authorities would result in an improvement in conditions in the so-called bad lands in Shanghai .--Reuter.

"angtse River

The position remains unchanged respecting the re-opening of the Rumanian political circles general- Yangtse River commercially, said Mr. north Kinngsi, about 70 miles north- ly interpret the measure as a sign R. A. Butler in the House of Com-west of Nanchang, have reached the of a relaxation in the tension, mons to-day, when replying to Com-He added that the Government

was continuing to press for the restoration of normal trade condi-The effect on trade with North

China by the regulations imposed at the Japanese Government's instance, Hungary, it is stated, answered under which, since March 11 a high these claims by pointing to the proportion of the North China export Transylvania and reiterated her own trade had been prohibited unless demands regarding a revision of the foreign exchange proceeds were sold Hungarian - Rumanian frontier - against Federal Reserve banknotes at 1/2d, had been the cessation of foreign trade in Tientsin, and as far as Viscount Halifax was aware, also Par in other northern ports, said Mr. Butler replying to Mr. Robert Mor- Ali

He added that the Government was still awaiting the Japanese Government's reply.-Reuter.

visited by Japanese aircraft on the same day. According to the Naval -Changsha, the doomed capital of communique, the fuel depots and Mi problems arising from the control of Hunan Province, which is believed to other establishments at Changsha be next important objective of the were razed, while the Chinese mili- Sy It is reported that after a general Japanese forces in Central China tary headquarters, aircraft repair Shi discussion, it was decided to refer the following the fall of Nanchang, was were bombed and destroyed.

Air whole question to a committee for severely attacked by Japanese naval yang were bombed and destroyed. aircraft on Tuesday, a communique Other Naval air units continued The general council, it is under- issued by the Japanese Fleet Head- bombing attacks on the Chinese communication lines and supply Hengyang, military and industrial routes along the Chekiang-Kiangsi

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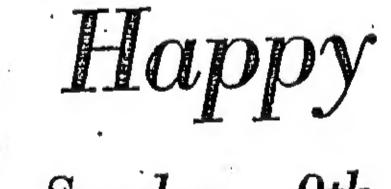
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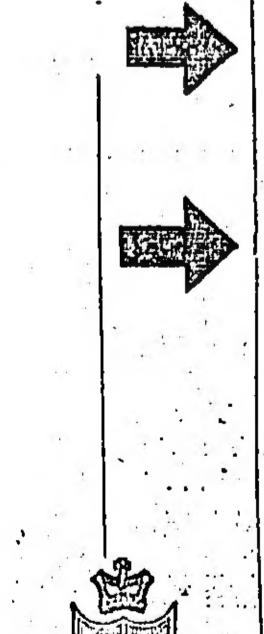
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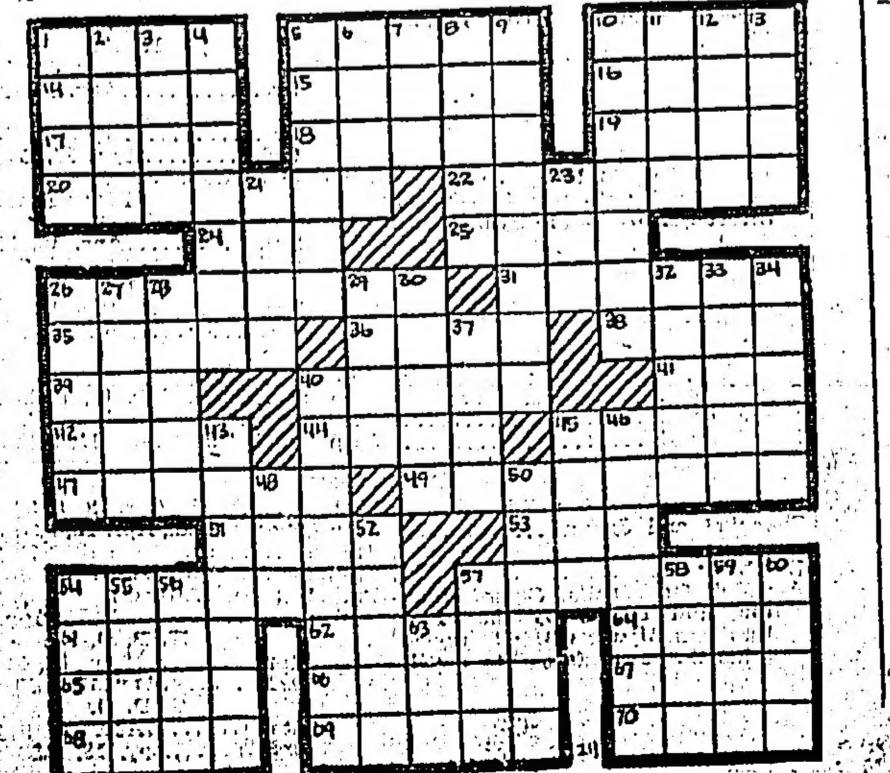
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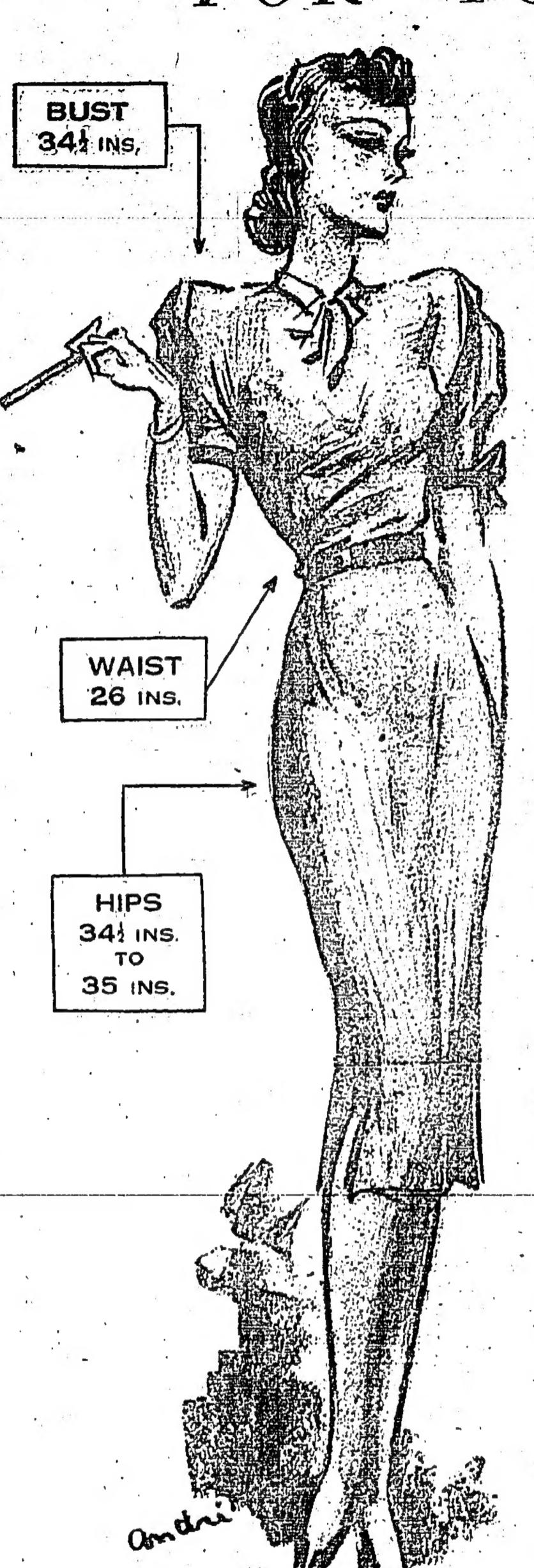
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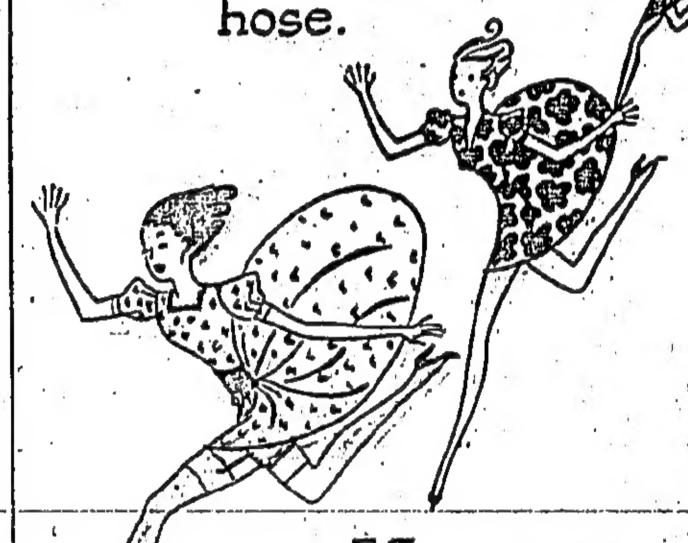


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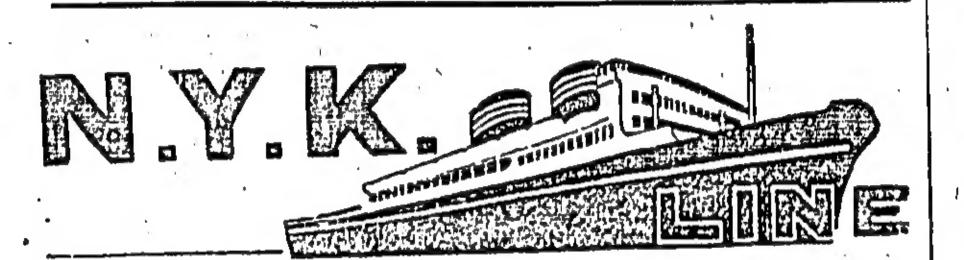
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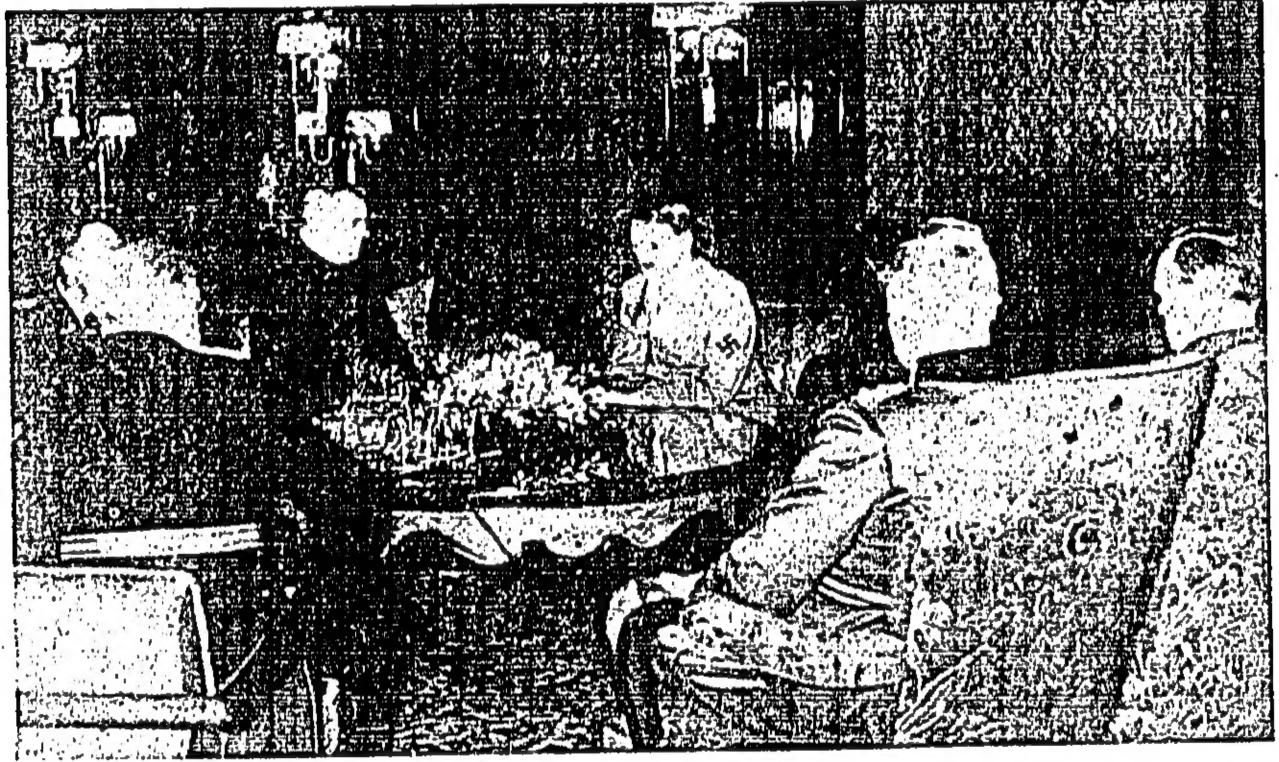
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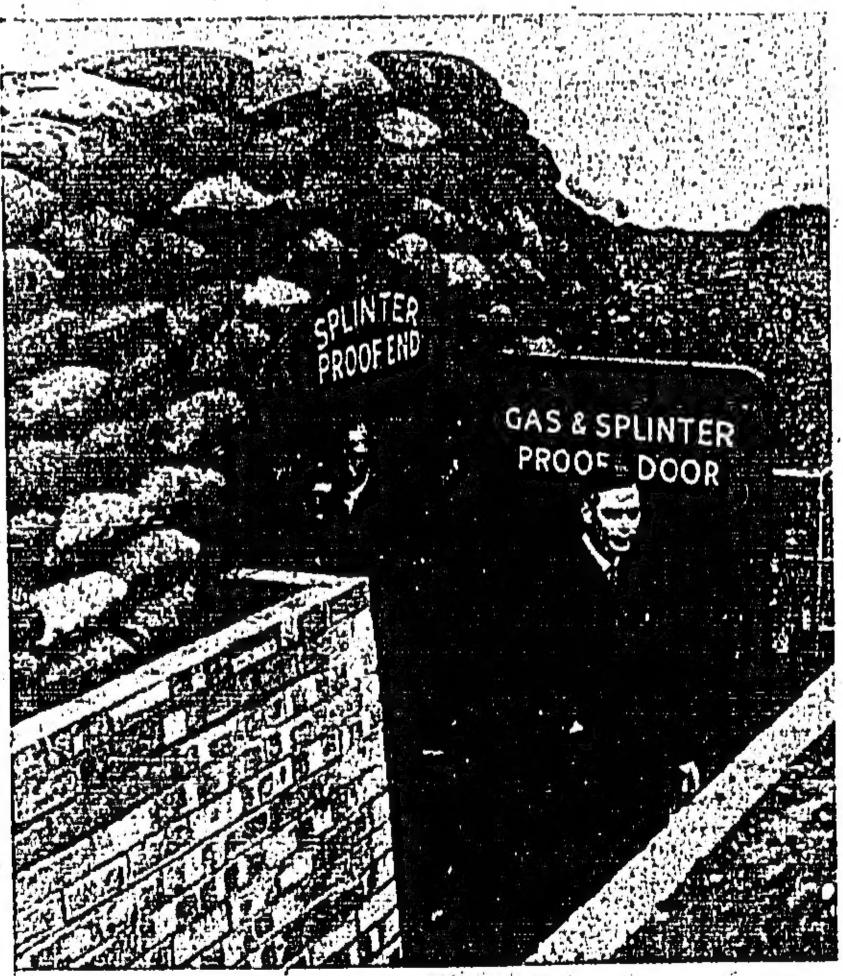
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WIDE WORLD PHOTO SHOWS: Father Tiso the new President of Slovakia in conference with Herr Hitler at the Berlin Chancellery. On right with back to camera is General Keltel, Chief of the German Army, and on extreme right is Herr Von Ribbentrop, the German Foreign Minister.



The King and Queen visited Birmingham recently and made an extensive tour of the city. On this page we show some of the incidents of their Majestics' tour. Below: The King and Queen arrived at the New Street Station and were welcomed by the Lord Mayor and the High Sheriff of Warwick-. shire, Mr. Baron Ash, who were presented to their Majesties by Mr. Chamberlain, the Minister in Attendance. Lower Left: Their Majesties inspected the Centre Hospital at Edgbaston and the Queen performed the ceremony of naming it. Left: In the afternoon the King toured the Heavy Section of the British Industries Fair at Castle Bromwich. His Majesty entered a splinter-proof and gasproof air-raid shelter which was on exhibition there and enquired as to the protection it gave. He was told it would resist the effects of a direct hit.



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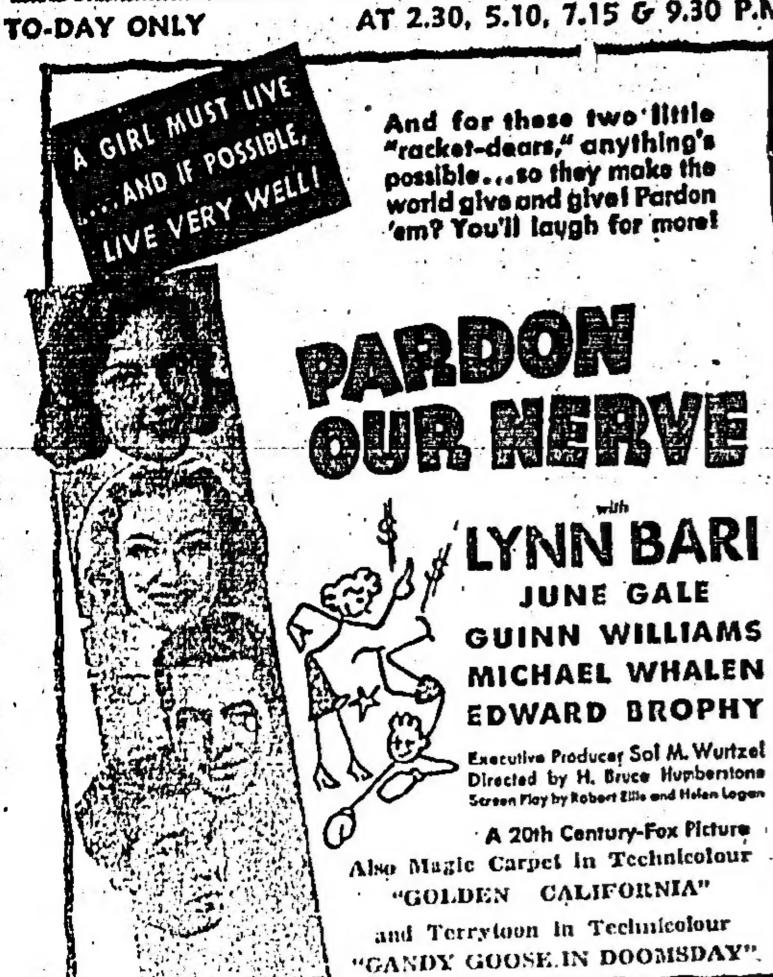
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Japan should launch an offensive on three fronts: In North China Japan must occupy Sian, capital of Shensi, to effect encirclement of Szechuen and cut communications between China and Russia; in South China Japan should occupy Nanning, capital of Kwangsi, in order to exert pressure on anti-Japanese sentiment in that province and cul communications - between a Kwangsi and French Indo-China; in Central China Japan should take Changsha, cut the Klangsi-Hunan rollway and occupy Siangyang and Fengehen in order to apply a stranglehold Hunan and Szechuen provinces;

When Japan completes the foregoing programme, Mr. Wang Ching-wei will personally lead an anti-Chiang Kai-shek and anti-Communist war:

Mr. Wang Ching-wei will be responsible for the organisation of an anti-Communist national salvation alliance with himself as chief execu-

An agreement should be discussed for restoration of peaceful friendly relations between China and Japan;

For the realisation of the second and third points Japan should pay Mr. Wang Ching-wei \$3,000,000.

The paper alleges that Japan has already made two payments. It claims that the details of the secret parcement were obtained by the CHanese authorities through a certain' Mr. Hsa who worked as interpreter for the Japanese.-Reuter.

Former H.K. Official Dies Mr. F. Allen Passes In England

MR. FRANK ALI EN, former Sanitary Inspector in Hongdied at Bournemouth, England, on March 26 after a short illness.

He was an old China hand and sailed to the Far East in the Esmeralda as third officer with Capt. Taylor in the early nineties, later forsaking the sea for a Government post. After rising to become an Inspector in his Department, he was pensioned some 17 years ago.

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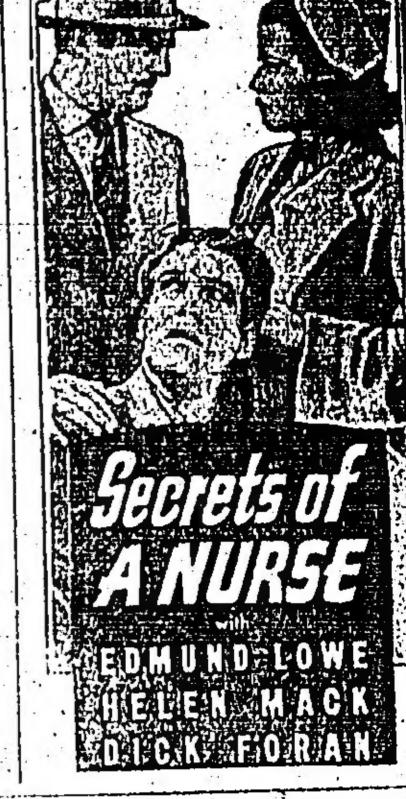
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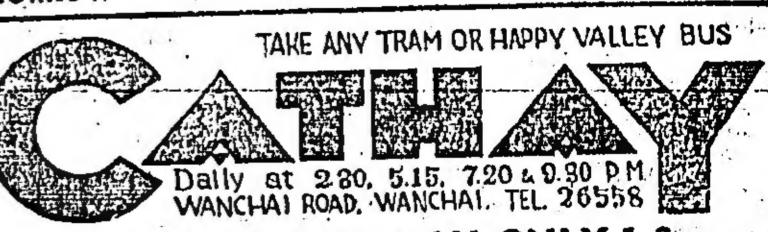
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